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New exhibition at Gould pictures the beauty of ANWR

By JOHN NESBITT

An art exhibition featuring nature and landscape photography of the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge by Subhankar Banerjee opens at the Owen Art Gallery on the Gould Academy campus on Sept. 29.

While living in the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge, in the far northeastern corner of Alaska, for two years, Banerjee observed and photographed stunning landscapes and wildlife spectacles.

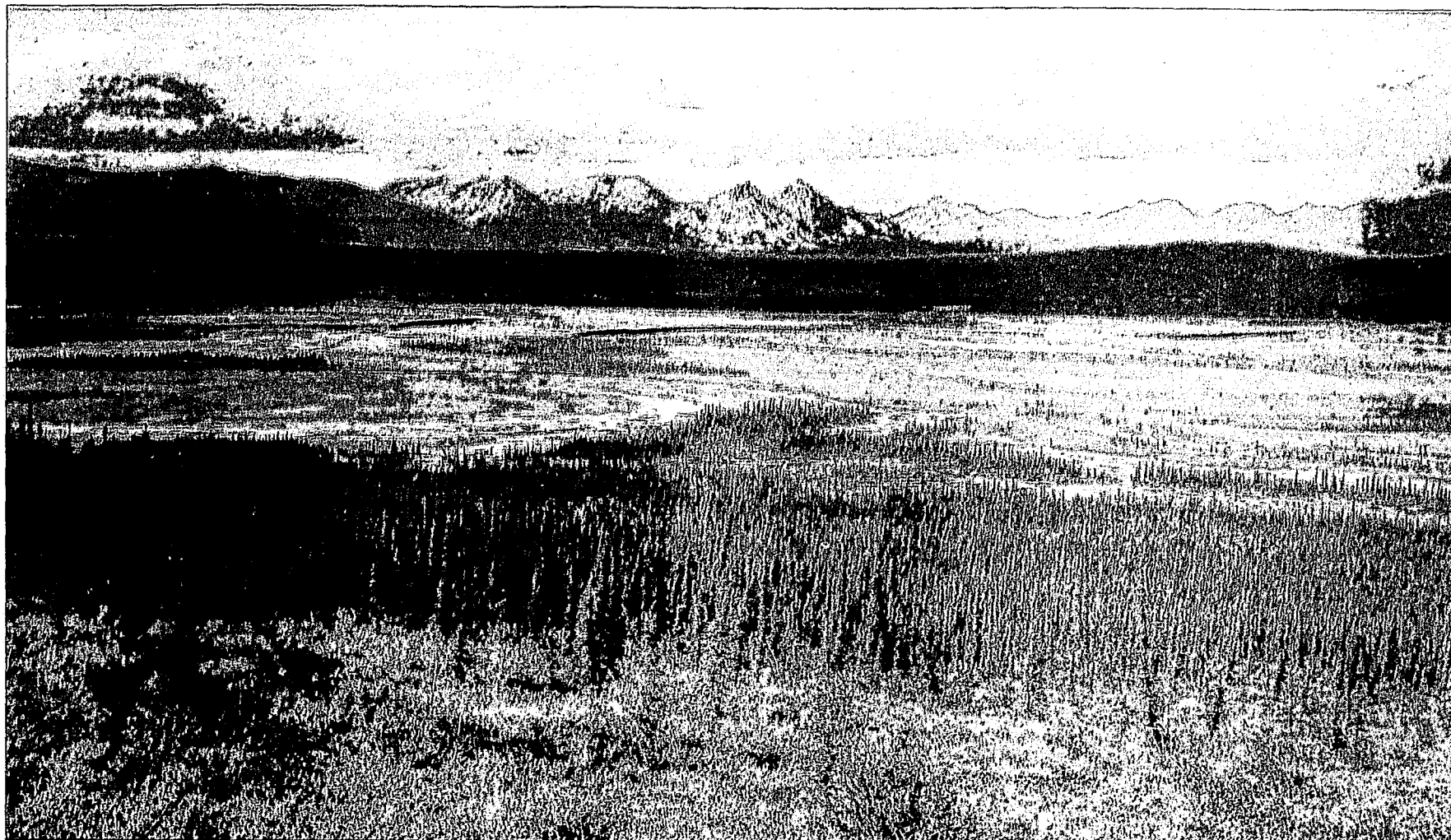
Images in the show present a glimpse into the year-round cycle of the landscape, animals, plants, birds, and indigenous peoples of the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge.

Some of the photos in the show were presented in an exhibition at the Smithsonian National Museum of Natural History in 2003, and many have never before been displayed in New England.

The special exhibition at the Owen Art Gallery was made possible by a grant from the Quimby Family Foundation.

Photos from Banerjee's journey through the Arctic Refuge

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ANWR

TAIGA

One of the photos of the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge in a new exhibition at Gould Academy of work by Subhankar Banerjee. The exhibition, at Owen Art Gallery, opens tomorrow (Friday, Sept. 29). The exhibition is open to the public, and there is no admission charge. The exhibition will be open weekdays from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. and on weekends by appointment.

Gov. King's commissioner of public safety is hired as SAD44's new bus boss

By ALISON ALOISIO

SAD44 parents can likely rest assured their children's school buses will be passing state police inspections with flying colors.

A former Maine commissioner of public safety has been hired as SAD44's new transportation supervisor.

Michael F. Kelly was unanimously approved Monday by the School Board.

Kelly served as MDPS commissioner from 1998 to 2003. Prior to that, he served 21 years in the Lewiston Police Department, becoming chief in 1994.

"He has an exceptional background and tremendous references," said Superintendent Dave Murphy.

Murphy said that while Kelly's previous experiences do not include direct supervision of a transportation department, his strong management background will allow him to adapt quickly to the responsibilities.

His first-year salary will be \$38,500.

Murphy said that Kelly sought the job because he wants to work in Maine and likes the Bethel area.

More background

As commissioner, Kelly oversaw nine bureaus of Public Safety with an overall annual budget of \$87 million.

Most recently (2004 to 2006) he worked for the Cumberland County Sheriff's Department.

His educational background

includes a bachelor of science in business administration from Plymouth State College and a master's of science in business administration from Husson College.

He is also a graduate of the Maine Criminal Justice Academy and the F.B.I. National Academy.

Kelly resides in Bethel. The transportation supervisor position was re-created for this school year. Several years ago, it had been merged with the building and grounds supervisor job.

Buses get good reviews
Murphy also reported to the board Monday that the district's bus fleet fared very well in a recent state police inspection.

Bethel officials eyeing MPBN's new light

By MICHAEL DANIELS

The Maine Public Broadcasting Network finds itself caught between the town of Bethel and the Federal Aviation Administration.

The problem is the red light that now shines at night from the MPBN television tower on the former Bailey Farm.

In an effort to resolve the situation, town officials are expected to request today that FAA allow the network to pull the plug on the light.

The tower in question is 122 feet tall, on a base elevation of approximately 1,000 feet.

The purpose of the tower

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G'wood not pleased with quality of Howe Hill Road rebuilding

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Rebuilding work on 3,500 feet of Howe Hill Road was completed (three weeks late) last week, and Greenwood officials are not happy with what \$91,770 bought the town.

"I'd give it a D," said Road Foreman Alan Seames. "It's not what I expected."

Town voters approved the project at this year's annual Town Meeting in March.

The plan was to rebuild the dirt road this year, to prepare it for paving next year.

But as things stand more work — and money — will have to be put into the road before it can be paved.

"There's no way I can have a contractor come in there next spring and grade it," Seames told selectmen last week.

Seames said he had concerns about several aspects of the work, including the ditch-

ing, the seating of culverts, the width of the road, and the weight of the roller that was used to compact it.

The selectmen reluctantly concluded, however, that the problems were with the contract the town's consulting engineer, Eric Grondahl P.E. of Norway, drew up for the project.

"It wasn't specific enough," said Town Manager (and Road Commissioner) Kim Sparks. "It was very vague."

Grondahl was paid \$450 to draw up the bid form for the contract.

For \$450 I think it could have been a lot better," Seames said.

Awaiting core-test results
Following a site walk Tuesday, the contractor for the project, D.A. Wilson & Co.

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Surveyors work the riverbank to size up cemetery erosion

By ALISON ALOISIO

No one seems to know yet how much federal grant money will be on the way to Bethel to fix erosion at the Riverside Cemetery.

But that could be good news. The Androscoggin River has been steadily eating away its bank next to the cemetery, located on the North Road. The waters are threatening several nearby graves, including that of Revolutionary War veteran Eli Twitchell.

The Cemetery Association last year applied for funds through the Emergency Watershed Protection Fund. Peter Marciniuk, district conservationist for the Natural Resources Conservation Service, is advising the association in the grant process.

Last Thursday, Marciniuk and surveyors from the NRCS office in Bangor went to the cemetery to gather information.

Marciniuk said watershed fund officials want to know the scope of the work needed to fix the site before deciding how much money to award.

"We're not going to design it for the money, we're going to design it for the need," he said.

That doesn't mean he's been given a blank check, but there is flexibility, he said.

His rough estimate of the cost to fix the site is about \$200,000.

Whatever the cost and the amount of the grant, there is a 25 percent local match required, in either money or in-kind services, expected to come through the cemetery association.

Marciniuk said the primary stabilization method would likely be the placement of rip-rap (rocks).

The project, he said, "will require careful planning and design in order to achieve proper stabilization."

In addition, said Marciniuk, he's concerned about the grade of the bank.

"It's very steep and may need to be cut back toward some existing graves," he said. "So we still have not ruled out the relocation of some grave sites in order for the stabilization project to be successful. But this would happen only after we have exhausted all other options."

See CEMETERY, page 2



SMUTTY

SURPRISE,

BUT TASTY?

Galls of corn smut, relatively rare here, erupt from an ear of sweetcorn in Greenwood. The galls are caused by a pathogenic plant fungus, U. maydis. Eventually they turn black and disintegrate into fungal threads and black spores. Hardly appealing to the eye, but at the stage shown here the fungus is considered a delicacy in upscale restaurants and is an important ingredient in some Mexican cooking (where it is known as huitlacoche). Attempts by the USDA — and even James Beard — to encourage more Americans to try the fungus have not been notably successful. Even a new name, "Mexican truffle," has provided little boost in the marketplace. (The galls shown here went untasted.)

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FIREWORKS THIS THURSDAY EVENING AT 8:30PM

Letters

GRAVESTONES STOLEN

To the Editor:

We were visited last week by a long lost cousin from Millerville, Pa. On one of the five days of spectacular weather we had, I decided to treat him to one of my favorite woods walks which includes a secluded, Revolutionary War era cemetery housing the graves of several veterans of the revolution. I was surprised to find the old woods road blocked and gated, but pleased that the owner had posted his name and phone to call for access. We met him on the road so, no need to call.

After a mile, or so, we arrived at the cemetery where I hurried to show him the featured headstone. That would be the monument of a venerable lady who died in the last half of the nineteenth century in the mid '80s. The striking thing about her monument is that it enumerates her progeny through five generations. She produced 15 children who, in turn, produced 85 grandchildren, then, 158-plus great-grandchildren and, four great-great-grandchildren, before she departed.

I went to the corner where it had been located, but found nothing. A profound feeling of sadness overtook me as I realized that someone had taken it, and several of the war veterans' monuments as well.

I think that that usurpation of a historical treasure was an act of disrespect, even contempt, for the lady, her family and any others of us who might have viewed it with awe and reverence. Maybe the perpetrator will read this and return it to its rightful place.

David Brainard
Greenwood

(Editor's note: Stealing or possessing a grave marker or tombstone is a felony.)

RECKLESS, IRRESPONSIBLE GOP

To the Editor:

Mr. Faulkner states (Sept. 21) that I should be quoting Marx. I am not a Communist. I am proud to be a Democrat. In 1992 I went to Archangel, Russia, to visit a friend who had been an exchange professor at U.S.M. It was an eye-opening experience. Really like going back in time. It also gave me great appreciation for our way of life.

Many things left an impression, but the one that left the greatest was a small museum. It was a rather large room on the second floor of a wooden house. Archangel is famous for its wooden houses along side high rises. A man had spent some 30 years making a miniature model of the whole city, which is larger than Portland. He did this to show where all the churches had been. They were destroyed or given other functions by the Communists.

When I saw the caption above his letter I was certain that Mr. Faulkner was speaking of Washington. "Reckless and irresponsible Government." I saw my dentist last week, a Republican. He said "those who are running Washington now are not Republicans." This anti-tax theme has been taken too far. The rich have taken over our government. And they did it by spending their money in the right places, mostly by buying television time for attack ads and using the Religious Right to attack our freedoms.

The Four Freedoms are what have made our country great. The one size fits all of the TABOR bill takes away freedom. One way it does this is to prescribe the same budget for Portland as it does Portage Lake.

I think we all have the right to claim Abraham Lincoln as our president and I also think he would not like the direction his party has taken.

Nancy Willard
Woodstock

TABOR IS A LOSER FOR MAINE

To the Editor:

Let's get out of the "hate-radio" mode, act civilly and talk facts regarding TABOR (a.k.a. Taxpayer Bill Of Rights). It's a nice enough sounding name, but it's also an unmitigated disaster in both concept and execution.

Colorado is our only state with operational experience. Gov. Bill Owens (R) has now called a five-year moratorium on TABOR and a related "Amendment 23" because of the financial ruin wrought in that state. Interested taxpayers are invited to view the history of that fiasco: www.cbpp.org/ssl-series.htm.

TABOR has been defeated or is being defeated based on its merits in other states where ballot initiatives have been launched, including such liberal bastions as OK, OR, NE, MI, and NV. That despite national level instigation and backing from such citizen heroes as Grover Norquist, and multi-million dollar funding from political wannabe "Howie Rich," who is based not in any of those states, but in New York.

For a good analysis by one of our agricultural states under pressure, see www.nefb.org/news/news.aspx?m=n&id=1191 where the Nebraska Farm Bureau has focused on the rural face of TABOR. For an investigative report on Mr. Rich, go to www.howierich.com. You'll be glad you did.

The citizens of our greater Bethel area want and deserve well-reasoned, fact-based discourse on issues facing us. Let's stop poisoning the process with hate-radio banter and get down to business.

Seabury Lyon
Bethel

HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION

To the Editor:

It's that time of year again, to dispose of household hazardous waste that's accumulated in your garage, basement, attic, kitchen, etc. The local collection will be at the SAD44 bus garage at the corner of Main Street and Cross Street in Bethel, on Saturday morning, Oct. 7, from 9 to 12 a.m. This is for households only, not commercial businesses or institutions.

For Bethel/Newry/Hanover residents, no advance registration is required, but if you have a question about what is or is not accepted, you should contact your town office.

To answer the most common question: latex (water-based) paints are not hazardous waste and should not be brought.

We understand that Greenwood, Woodstock, Stoneham, and Albany Twp., are also participating — residents of these towns should contact their town office or AVCOG regarding any advance registration needs.

Walter Hatch
Bethel Conservation Committee

FIRST CROP WALK A HUGE SUCCESS

To the Editor:

The first ever CROP Walk in Bethel Sept. 10 was a huge success, raising \$2,400 to support the hunger-fighting efforts of Church World Service. Twenty-five percent of the money goes to the Good Shepherd Food Bank in Auburn to help fight hunger in Maine.

A total of 51 people of all ages, from one pushed in a stroller to senior citizens, walked the 5K (three mile) distance around the village of Bethel. One person took \$1 from her piggybank to help feed hungry people. Another family rolled over \$70 in loose change at home and donated to the walk.

The World Service Committee and the Christian Ed Committee of the West Parish Congregational Church were thrilled with the results of this interfaith activity and plan to sponsor another walk next year.

CROP Walk funds help in 80 different countries around the world — from working with AIDS orphans in Africa to helping farmers in Central America to assisting with hurricane evacuees here in the United States rebuild their lives after the devastating storms of last summer.

By walking and volunteering and donating, the citizens of Bethel have shown they are citizens of the world.

Jane Chandler
Woodstock

Tower

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(and the translator station below it) is to make the public television signal available to more people in this hilly region.

To do that, the translator station picks up the Channel 10 signal from Augusta, boosts it, and retransmits it on Channel 4.

Most viewers in this area are able to receive the Channel 10 signal from Augusta directly, but in some places — such as the Intervale side of Farwell Mountain — Channel 4 affords far better reception.

"It's for the folks on the wrong side of the hills," said Gil Maxwell, senior vice president and chief operating officer for MPBN.

Digital plan triggers light requirement

The tower and translating station were built in 1983, and at the time it was believed the tower was too low to require lighting.

Earlier this year, however, MPBN applied to the Federal Communications Commission in preparation for the upcoming conversion of the facility from analog to digital. (By February 2009 all analog television must cease and stations will be required to transmit digitally.)

The FCC's routine review of the application alerted the FAA to the existence of the tower. ("Databases are much better coordinated these days," said Maxwell.)

The aviation regulators in turn reviewed the tower and determined that it did in fact penetrate the conical "glide path" of Bethel Airport.

The FAA then issued a Notice of Violation declaring the tower a flight hazard, and giving MPBN 30 days to paint and light it in accordance with FAA regulations.

That was done, at a cost of \$5,500 — and the Bethel Town Office soon began getting calls about the new light in the night sky.

"They weren't really complaints," said Town Manager Scott Cole. "People mostly wanted to know what the light was, and if it had been properly permitted."

Cole and town Code Enforcement Officer Rich St. John looked into the situation and concluded there was a strong probability the changes to the tower constituted a "change of use" as defined by town-ordinance performance standards.

But, neither the town manager nor the CEO is empowered to make that decision, Cole said, "so the matter really has to go to the Planning Board for a formal change-of-use determination."

"However di minimis the question of change of use is, asking it is essential in order to protect the integrity of the review process and ordinance itself," Cole said.

But MPBN's Maxwell believes the changes in question clearly do not rise to the level of a change of use.

"Given that there has been no change in the use of [the tower], which has been in place for twenty-three years, and no local permitting is required for painting and lighting an existing structure, we believe that we are in compli-

ance with all applicable ordinances," he wrote in a letter to Cole.

Both sides appear convinced of the strength of their positions, but both would also be delighted to have the FAA resolve the matter by simply allowing the light to be unplugged.

Cole, who is meeting today with FAA officials in Portland regarding other airport matters, said he was hopeful the FAA could be talked into switching off the light.

And as for the publicly funded broadcast network — "I'd be ecstatic," said Maxwell. "The last thing we need is the expense of maintaining that light. I'm always happy to save money."

Woodstock tower

The Woodstock Town Office has received some complaints about the lights on a new cell tower on the Dudley Road, according to Town Manager Vern Maxfield.

Concerns came from people who live on the Blackbrook Road, which faces the tower.

The tower has a flashing red light on the top.

"They say it is incredibly bright and that the blinking is the worst part," said Maxfield.

The 250-foot tower has been in operation for about a month.

Maxfield said it is his understanding that the lights must remain for aviation safety reasons.

"I don't think anything can be changed," he told selectmen last week. "It has to be what it has to be."

Cemetery

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Not this year

It's probably too late to do any work this year, said Marcinuk, so the graves will face another spring runoff season before help arrives.

A larger-scale assessment of the site will take place Oct. 10, when senior NRCS engineers from Fort Worth, Texas, arrive to in-

spect this and several other grant sites in Maine.

Also expected to be on hand at the cemetery are representatives from the Maine Department of Environmental Protection, Inland Fisheries and Wildlife and the Army Corps of Engineers.



A PLAN TO PROTECT GRAVESITES—Surveyors from the Natural Resources Conservation Service take measurements at the erosion site at the Riverside Cemetery in Bethel. Grant money has been approved to place rip rap on the steep bank to prevent graves from being washed into the river.

(Photo: A. Aloisio)

Our Back Pages

Compiled by Danna Brown Nickerson

10 years ago: Mt Abram's plan to light its trails and offer night skiing was well received by Greenwood residents at a public hearing.

Kent Webster was hired asw SAD44 interim superintendent.

Faculty members John Wight and Mac Davis led a fall foliage canoe trip as part of Gould's Alumni Weekend activities.

Births: Moriah Grace Post, Kinney, Molly MacAllister Bruce, Annalise Hawthorne.

Deaths: Roma F. Stanley, Mary E. "Lee" Penley, Euphemia D. Hastings.

20 years ago: The Andover Ladies Aid Society of the First Congregational Church held their 41st annual public birthday supper.

The Bethel Area Health Center moved into its new quarters, the remodeled A&P store on Railroad Street.

The Bethel Fire Department had raised just over \$3,000 of the \$11,000 needed to purchase a "Jaws-of-Life."

Birth: Andrew Curtis Wardwell.

Deaths: Herbert Russell Rowe, Richard W. Tyler, Melva Greely Willard.

30 years ago: Mrs. Ruth Grover of West Bethel was presented Bethel's Boston Post Cane as the town's oldest resident.

Tom Wight, a senior at Telstar, was selected as a semifinalist in the National Merit Scholarship Competition.

The Harvest Fair to benefit the Pleasant Valley Grange was well attended and very successful.

Birth: Aimee Karlene Merrill.

Deaths: Ernest D. McKellick, Michael A. Murphy.

40 years ago: Telephone workers labored to repair a cable near Bennett's Garage that was severed when it was struck by a crane.

Leslie Lapham of Northwest Bethel was bitten by a rabid fox while working in his garden a short distance from his house.

Bob Remington, George Nickerson, and Warren Tibbets led the Gould Academy football team to a 21-14 victory over Wilton Academy.

Births: Patrick Joseph Grenier, Leon Donald Twitchell.

Deaths: Frederick Dudley Ashby, Mrs. Alphonso A. Brown, Mrs. Gertrude N. Hanscom, Galen J. Curtis.

50 years ago: Clarence E. Cole of Cole's Hardware in Bryant Pond received a plaque with a gold-plated Estwing hammer for 50 years of service to the hardware industry.

The annual meeting of the West Parish Congregational Church was held in Garland Chapel.

West Paris High School had an enrollment of 54 resident students and 17 tuition students.

60 years ago: Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Eames purchased the Bethel Restaurant.

The Wilma Beauty Shop was sold to Mrs. Marilyn Gilbert. Royden Keddy enrolled at Harvard College.

Death: Bernard Richardson.

70 years ago: The Village Corporation's new ladder truck was ready for use. This equipment was a renovated Lincoln sedan. The work of reconstruction was done by Ray Crockett.

Metal roofing was being laid on the belfry of the Congregational Church.

Death: A.R. Saunders, Hano A. Packard, Mrs. I.A. Cushman, Mrs. Maud E. Bailey.

80 years ago: Bethel corn shop had one of the smallest packs ever put up in the factory. The corn was of the highest quality.

Mrs. F.I. French bought Mrs. Frank Kendall's place on Spring Street.

Deaths: Moses M. Mason, Mrs. Sarah Devine, Charles G. Kimball.

100 years ago: A good, substantial granite monument was erected in the soldier's lot at Woodland Cemetery, a present from the sons of Gen. Clark S. Edwards.

A good crop of corn was being processed at the canning factory.

Dr. Francis Tuell was installing a bathroom in his house on Broad Street (now Charles and Betsy Raymond's).

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Briefly

Man arrested for heroin trafficking

WEST PARIS—Michael Holden, 44, of West Paris was arrested last week on a charge of aggravated trafficking in heroin, according to Maine Drug Enforcement Agency officials. The arrest followed a search of Holden's home. He was taken to the Oxford County Jail. Agents seized a quantity of heroin packaged and ready for distribution, digital drug scales, more than \$3,200, hypodermic needles, an assortment of drug paraphernalia, and a quantity of recently harvested marijuana buds drying on screens. In addition, 21 shotguns, rifles and handguns were seized, some of which were loaded. The search was the result of a three-month investigation led by special agent Zane Loper, a Paris police officer on temporary assignment for the summer to the MDEA.

Pot busts in region

ANDOVER/WATERFORD—Law enforcement officials seized almost 100 marijuana plants, worth an estimated \$228,000, Monday in raids in Andover and Waterford. The Andover raid, which netted 66 plants, took place off the East B Hill Road. The Waterford bust, on Fiske Road, totaled 30 plants. There were no arrests. The Oxford County Sheriff's Department, Norway and Paris police, the Maine Drug Enforcement Agency and a National Guard helicopter worked together on the operation.

Court date postponed to December

PARIS—A court date for W. Craig Alford, accused of stealing funds from the Bethel Rotary Club, was postponed last week by a Superior Court judge to Dec. 4. Alford, 48, is expected to plead guilty to embezzling funds between 2002 and 2006 while he served as the club's treasurer. He has repaid the club \$66,000. Alford is currently employed in Massachusetts. He formerly worked for the American Skiing Co. in Bethel.

Foliage Flotilla Saturday

BETHEL—The Annual Fall Foliage Flotilla hosted by Mahosuc Land Trust will be held on Saturday, Oct. 7. This year's adventure will be a family-friendly trip on the Magalloway River in Wilson's Mills north of Errol, N.H. Anyone wishing to join the fun is asked to call the Land Trust office at 824-3806 to register. The group will assemble in the parking lot of Sunday River Brewing Co. at 9:30 a.m. on the 7th and caravan to the river. Participants must provide their own canoes or kayaks, life vests, lunch and snacks. Leader and Land Trust President Steve Wight says he anticipates clear fall weather, gorgeous foliage, a jolly crew and a return time to Bethel of approximately 3:30 p.m.

Selectmen's meeting change

WOODSTOCK—The Board of Selectmen have canceled their regular meeting scheduled for Oct. 3. Their next meeting will take place on Oct. 17 at 5 p.m. at the Town Office.

SMILE Fund Fair Saturday

BETHEL—The West Parish Congregational Church will hold its annual SMILE Fund Fair Saturday, Oct. 15, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the church. Attic treasures may be dropped off at the church the day prior to the fair, or contact Ginger Rickeman (824-0550) for an earlier pick-up site. Proceeds go entirely to the Smile Fund. The fund provides support for individuals in SAD44 who need restorative dental care not covered by Medicaid.

Moose hunt starts

AUGUSTA—On Monday Maine became the first northern New England state to launch its 2006 moose-hunting season, as more than 2,800 permit holders take to the woods in search of a trophy. The first six-day portion of the split season got under way at dawn Monday in northern and eastern parts of the state. The second week runs from Oct. 9-14, in the northern two-thirds of the state. Biologists estimate Maine's moose population at 29,000. Maine's moose hunt predates the seasons in the other northern New England states. New Hampshire's runs Oct. 21-29. Vermont, like Maine, has a split season, which runs Oct. 21-26 and Oct. 28-Nov. 2. In Maine, hunters will search for trophies in designated wildlife management districts covering more than 21,000 square miles. State game officials said 2,825 moose permits were issued for the 2006 season, a large majority of them for antlered moose. During the 2005 season, hunters killed 2,226 moose out of 2,895 permits issued, for a success rate of 77 percent. Biologist Karen Morris of the Inland Fisheries and Wildlife Department said moose are in prime physical shape this time of the year, just as they begin their mating season. While foliage is still dense in the woods across the state, that disadvantage to hunters will be more than outweighed by the willingness of moose to respond to moose calls, game officials said.

Fall hikers urged to plan ahead

CONCORD, N.H.—The state Fish and Game Department is warning hikers to be prepared before they hit the trails this time of year. The warning comes just after four Canadian hikers were rescued off Mount Washington after running into winter conditions near the summit. One hiker was hospitalized with severe hypothermia. Fish and Game Lt. Todd Bogardus said hikers should carry warm clothes and flashlights even if they're not planning to stay out late. Night can fall quickly and temperatures can drop unexpectedly in the woods and on the mountains in fall, he said. Bogardus also reminded hikers to wear bright clothes now that hunting season is underway. Officials recommend hikers tell someone where they're going and when they plan to be back. Other advice for those heading out: carry a map and compass, extra food and plenty of water, matches, a first aid kit, a whistle and rain gear. The website www.hikesafe.com provides additional information on hiker safety.

Fewer Maine kids being vaccinated

LEWISTON—Fewer toddlers in Maine are getting the vaccination shots they need. Eight years ago, 91 percent of Maine toddlers got vaccination shots, giving Maine the highest rate in the country. The vaccination rate since has fallen to 80 percent, putting the state below the national average. "It doesn't sound like much, but 10 out of every 100 kids weren't getting vaccinated. Now it's 20 out of 100. That's a pretty significant drop," said Dr. Dora Anne Mills, head of the Maine Center for Disease Control and Prevention. The National Centers for Disease Control recommends that all children under age 2 get vaccinated against hepatitis B, diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis (whooping cough), polio, measles, mumps, rubella, chicken pox, influenza and pneumococcal diseases. The national vaccination rates have climbed from about 74 percent in 1995 to 83 percent in 2004, the last year that national data is available from the CDC. At the same time, Maine's rates for 2-year-olds have fallen—raising concerns that serious childhood diseases will begin to reappear. The state is beginning to see cases of whooping cough, an acute infectious disease that was recently reported in four children from three day care centers in Lewiston, New Gloucester and Portland. Some of those children were not fully vaccinated against the disease. "The vaccine is very effective, but it's more effective the more doses you have," Mills said.

From the Bethel Police Log:

Tuesday, Sept. 26

At 11:26 a.m. Chief Alan Carr responded to the Sunday River Road for an accident. A large truck had struck the embankment on the left side of the road. The driver was taken to the hospital to be checked.

Monday, Sept. 25

At 7:44 a.m. Chief Alan Carr responded to the North Road for a vehicle rollover. The driver, who had neck pain, was taken by Bethel Rescue to the hospital.

At 1 p.m. Chief Alan Carr received a report that two musical instruments had been taken from a school. They were recovered the next day by a Norway police officer.

Saturday, Sept. 23

At 12:37 a.m. Lt. S.R. White and Officers Jack Taylor and Eric Mills responded to Paradise Road for a complaint of several loud subjects walking down the middle of the road. They were warned for obstructing a public way and were also advised to keep the volume down. All were cooperative.

At 3:26 p.m. ACO Mac McCormick took a report that chickens on the Flat Road had been attacked by two stray dogs.

At 9:01 p.m. Officer Jack Taylor and Lt. S.R. White responded to the Rabbit Road for a vehicle rollover. On arrival the officers found no one in or around it.

At 10:40 a.m. Officer Rusty Daley responded to the Walkers Mills Road for a report that a resident, on returning home, had found a vehicle in his driveway and a male subject walking from the rear of the house. The resident said the subject, a male in his late teens or 20s, told him he was looking for his dog. The complainant did not find anything out of place, and the subject left. Later it was discovered change was missing from the residence and a camera that had been inside the residence earlier was on the back porch.

At 8:23 p.m. Officer Jack Taylor and Lt. S.R. White responded to Route 2 for a report of a domestic incident. Two subjects had had a verbal fight in a vehicle.

Friday, Sept. 22

At 7:45 p.m. Lt. S.R. White responded to Route 232 in Woodstock to assist a county deputy with an out-of-control subject.

Thursday, Sept. 21

At 8:29 a.m. Chief Alan Carr took a harassment complaint. A subject was told to write a statement.

At 8:35 a.m. Chief Alan Carr responded to a business for a report of the theft of a vehicle. The vehicle was later recovered in Norway.

At 9:35 a.m. Chief Alan Carr responded to the Songo Pond Road for a report that a wood saw and base had been taken from a front yard.

At 12:15 p.m. Chief Alan Carr responded to a business for a report of a burglary (no forced entry). \$20 was missing.

Wednesday, Sept. 20

At 4:36 p.m. Officer Buddy Richard responded to the intersection of Railroad and Main streets for a two-vehicle, property-damage accident.

At 8:54 p.m. Officer Buddy Richard responded to a village business for a report of a violation of protection order. It was determined that there had been no violation.

Tuesday, Sept. 19

At 7:13 p.m. ACO Mac McCormick took a report from a subject who said her dog had accidentally killed chickens owned by village residents. The chickens' owners agreed the dog had not meant to hurt the birds, and did not want to be compensated. The dog's owner was warned for allowing the animal to be at large.

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agreed to redo the rip-rap-ping on one culvert and widen the road in a place that was 26 feet wide, rather than the 28 feet called for in the contract.

Core tests are also being done to assess the amount of gravel that was used in the project and the degree to which it was compacted.

The contract calls for 5,293

cubic yards of gravel, but Seames said he thought the amount used could have been 1,000 yards less than that.

Results of the tests are expected by early next week, Sparks said.

Town officials will have to decide later, Sparks said, who will do the additional work necessary next spring to prepare the road for paving.

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are also featured in the book "Arctic National Wildlife Refuge Seasons of Life and Land," published by the Mountaineers books in 2003.

The show will run from Sept.

29 through Dec. 15. The Owen Art Gallery is open from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. daily, and by appointment on weekends. Admission is free. For more information call 824-7741.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Citizen welcomes letters to the editor. We hope our readers will regard the newspaper as a public forum for discussing any topic they believe to be of interest to the community.

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The deadline for letters to the editor is 4:30 p.m. Monday. Letters submitted after that deadline will be considered for publication when circumstances permit.

Send your letters to: Editor, Bethel Citizen, PO Box 109, Bethel, ME 04217-0109. Fax: 824-2426. E-mail: news@bethelcitizen.com.

Local candidates



Paula P. Smith of Andover is the Republican candidate for the Maine House of Representatives for District 92, which includes Andover, Byron, Roxbury, Rumford, Madrid, Weld, as well as Sandy River and Rangeley Plantations and the unorganized territory of West Central Franklin County.

Smith is retired from SAD44 in Bethel, where she had been employed for 22 years, as an elementary school librarian and bus driver from Andover. She is owner/operator of Wyman Hill Orchard, a maple syrup producer.

Smith serves on the board of directors of the Rumford Community Home, as well as the Rumford Hospital Developmental Board. She is a member of the Rumford Hospital Auxiliary, a director of the Maine Healthy Coalition and a member of the Northern Oxford Wellness Board.

Smith belongs to the Maine Tree Farm System, Maine Maple Syrup Producers, Southern Maine Maple Syrup Producers, SWOAM, American Chestnut Foundation, and the Maine Chapter of that foundation.

Smith is vice president of the Webb Lake Association in Weld, chairman of the Ways and Means Committee and the Nomination Committee.

Her activities also include belonging to the Maine Snowmobile Association and the Andover club, the Snow Valley Snow Goers. Smith is a member of the Roxbury Riders ATV Club and is helping them get access to land for their trails. She belongs to SAM.

Paula is married to William B. Smith, Jr. and has three sons, one stepson, and two stepdaughters. They share 22 grandchildren.

Smith may be reached at 392-1921 or at lapps@explore-maine.com.



Wade Rainey of West Paris is the Democratic candidate for county commissioner in District 3, which includes Albany, Buckfield, Greenwood, Hebron, Otisfield, Oxford, Paris, Stoneham, West Paris and Woodstock.

Rainey, currently a selectman in West Paris, was the chair of the County Budget Committee in 2004. He is a former member of the Maine Municipal Association Policy Committee, and vice-president of the Oxford County Municipal Officers Association.

He is a Certified Maine Assessor, and is self-employed in that field, working with many area towns. He and his wife, Dian, also operate several small businesses at Trap Corner in West Paris.

Rainey is a member of Jefferson Lodge 100, the Kora Shrine, and the Ring-McKeen Post of the American Legion. He is a Vietnam-era U.S. Navy veteran, and a lifelong resident of Oxford County.

"We must be alert to new savings that can be made in our regionalization efforts and through implementation of new technologies for heating our facilities, as well as keeping a watchful eye on county spending," Rainey stated.

"I look forward to bringing my municipal and county budget experience to the Commission, and feel that my assessing experience has given me an excellent knowledge of the towns in our county.

Rainey welcomes help with his campaign and may be reached at 674-5143, or at P.O. Box 180, West Paris, 04289.

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PUBLIC HEARING
Pursuant to Title 28 MRSA 252 - a notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held on October 2, 2006 at the Bethel Town Office to consider a Liquor License renewal from the Pats Pizza located on 37 Mayville Rd.. Public comment will be heard at that time. Prior to the hearing date written comment may be issued to the Bethel Town Office or email at info@bethelmaine.org
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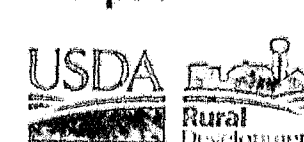
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Bethel



by Virginia Keniston

Rodney Wentzell from the Cape visited with his sister, Mary Eichel, over the weekend.

Sarah Stevens is living with her daughter, Marilyn King, in South Portland. Her address is 16 Plymouth Road, South Portland, ME 04106 (Tel: 799-5735).

Eric and Lucia Schwartz recently enjoyed four days camping at Cobscook Bay State Park in Edmunds.

Gwyneth Bohr has returned home after four days at Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway. She is getting better all the time and enjoying visits from her three daughters, Sara, Katie and Gretchen.

Ada Cummings is at Norway Nursing Home following a bout with pneumonia at Stephens Memorial Hospital.

Senior College meeting last week was very well attended. The entertainment was outstanding, with Lorrie Hoeh performing "Help Me! I'm Becoming My Mother," and a one-act comedy, "Jumping," presented by Lynn and Joe Arizzi.

Glenn M. Bangs (our grandson) left this past weekend for Iraq as a healer. Bangs and dozens of other Maine Army Reservists work as health-care professionals in their civilian careers. He decided to study nursing after being seriously injured in a motorcycle accident early in his military career. During a month-long hospital stay he came to appreciate the nurses' care. Bangs, a guitarist, expects to continue a training camp decompression ritual of sing-alongs at the end of the day.

Stephen Seames returned home Saturday after undergoing treatments in Boston.

Judy and Brad Barker have returned home after spending the summer at their cottage in Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Greenleaf and three children of Foster, R.I. spent the weekend visiting relatives in Bethel.

Judy and Brad Barker attended the first birthday of their grandchild, Emily, in Auburn on Sunday.

Guests of Amy Davis last week were Herbert Pickett,

son Paul Pickett and daughter Alice Hale from Concord, N.H. Also Bud and May Fenton of Pittsburgh, Pa., called one day.

Evelyn Kimball celebrated her birthday on Sunday.

Visitors with Bob and Polly Davis last week were grandson Cory Davis and friend Tracy Volz from Flagstaff, Ariz., and son Wayne Davis from Green River Wyo. who will be in Bethel until Oct. 2 in order to attend his 35th Gould Academy reunion.

Hi and Mary Lou Berry hosted a reunion over the weekend of Sept. 15 of Mary Lou's family. Attending from Massachusetts were Mary Lou and Roger Killelea; Allyson and George Gartley, Jake and Megan; Robert and Joanne Cole; Laura and Mike McBride, Julia and Hannah; Diane O'Leary; Diane O'Malley and daughter Paige. Rhonda and Brian Dalton from Florida stayed for the week.

On Sunday, Sept. 24, Hi Berry celebrated his 80th birthday with a grand party at the summer house at Lone Pine, with nearly 60 relatives and friends attending. A delicious buffet was enjoyed and all enjoyed a wonderful day. Guests came from Seattle, Wash., Arizona, Wyoming, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Maine and New Hampshire.

Middle Intervale News

By Pat Carter

Jason Howe, son of Tom and Suzanne Howe, is attending Universal Technical Institute in Houston, Texas studying Collision and Repair. His address is 15215 Blue Ash Drive, Apt. 111, Houston, Texas 77090. We all wish him well. Jason has a lot of drive and certainly has the desire to do well.

I spent the weekend in Monroeville, visiting with an old friend. I was surprised and pleased to travel on such beautiful roads. I went to Norridgewock and picked up Route 139, which went right past her driveway. The trip took about two and a half hours. The roads were like black velvet — so smooth. I was thunder struck to find these roads were not the cow paths that supposedly our Democratic governor had given the state. When I reached Dixfield, the bumps started. Let me tell you about the gas prices away from this area. Over in the Mercer area gas could be bought for \$2.24 per gallon. Why is it that gas is

more expensive around here? Here at the lower end of Middle Intervale Road, we are looking forward to the time the skunks hibernate. They are the greatest little lawn excavators that ever existed. Our dogs just love those "striped little black and white pussycats." As yet they haven't received the full blast but have run through the lingering mist and then come in for breakfast all wags and happy as can be. Life in the country!

Mayville News

By Don Bennett

Coming Soon — of special interest to Mayville residents: Online publication of a 1985 Bethel Historical Society "Courier" article by former Sunday River resident Yvonne B. Nowlin entitled, "The Bethel Agricultural Fair and Riverside Park." Randy Bennett at the historical society has started getting Mrs. Nowlin's very readable, absorbingly interesting and based-in-Mayville story of the Bethel fairs from 1890 to 1934 out of his file cabinet and into the Internet. Mrs. Nowlin ended her story with, "But little remains (of the expansive fair grounds), except 'Professor' Chapman's barn and the historic Mason homestead (The Norseman Inn) to recall the days when hooves thundered and crowds cheered at Bethel's Riverside Park."

Some interesting details to discover from reading this article will be: (1) relocation of the Northwest Bethel Road: originally its intersection with the Rumford road (Route 2) lay between the Norseman Inn and the Briar Lea; then (2) how Franklin Harrington's barn began life at the Chapman Homestead Farm in Gilthead but was moved to Bethel; and (3) changes in ownership of the Mason farm and arrival on the scene of the Godwin's — the family who would in the 1960s turn their riverside pasture into the very pleasant, family operated and successful Twin Oaks Campground — today's Bethel Outdoor Adventure.

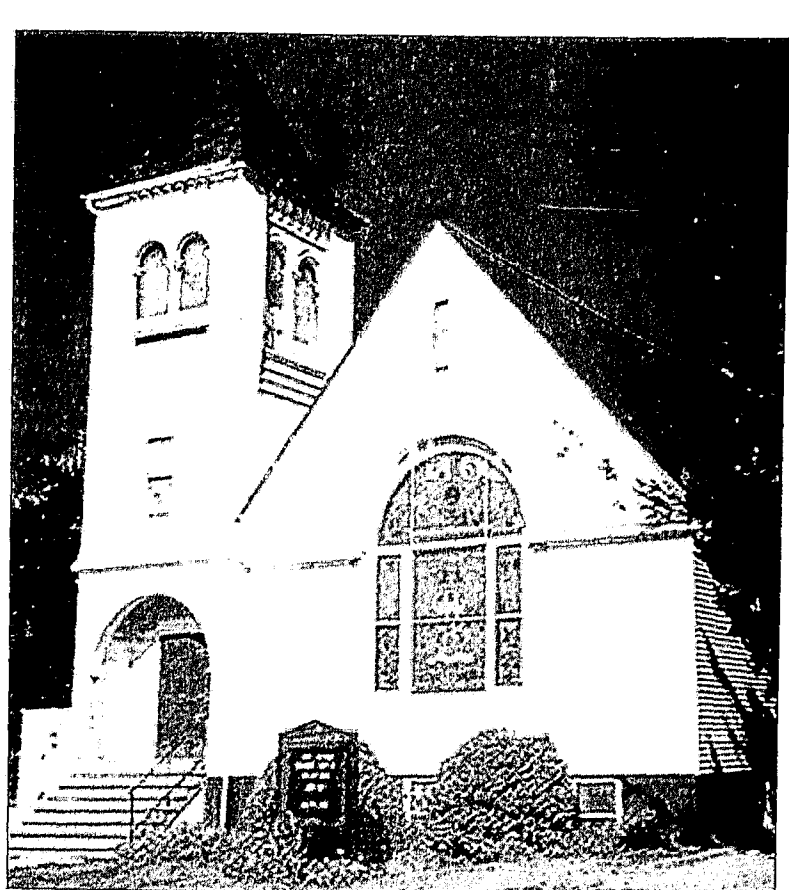
On Sept. 21, 2006, a survey team of Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) specialists from Bangor, Lewiston, Wilton and Oxford spent nearly three hours at Riverside Cemetery measuring erosion damage along the embankment and channel depths near the effected area.

Alison was on hand from The Citizen to do the play-by-play reporting so I spent my time on filling in color. Don Brooks and Roger Conant, cemetery association president and secretary/treasurer respectively, were on hand to orient the visitors and explain how erosion damage had increased over the last two years. Town Manager Scott Cole skipped his boat for the NRCS staff passenger assigned to measuring river depths. The river was measured the same way that Mark Twain measured his river except that depth and location was recorded by a computerized transit.

Lewis Crosby, hydraulic engineer from the NRCS Bangor state office, was surprised when I told him that some other Crosby's had arrived before he did. My grandparents and an aunt lay buried only a few yards from where we were standing. So we chatted about Crosby family history and genealogical books for a few minutes before he surprised me. Crosby mentioned that he had seen the cemetery's Web page and had perused the lists of burials that are part of the document. Both he and Peter Marcinuk, our local NRCS District Conservationist, told me that having the cemetery's history plus details of older and information about well-known figures who are buried at Riverside Cemetery adds value to the town's request for assistance. This in the long run should strengthen the amount of restoration effort that the government will be willing to apply in yet to be determined watershed protection costs.

The other factor that Mr. Marcinuk mentioned though is that a fair possibility exists that some graves may have to be moved. Should a move be necessary, NRCS would line up archeologists and undertakers as required by Maine law.

In October, a larger group of other state and federal agencies including the Department of Environmental Protection and the Army Corps of Engineers will conduct a staff tour of the site. The relatively broad geographical area involved in addition to the size and configuration of the Androscoggin and the type of manmade objects being threatened by erosion means that the project is rated as quite complicated. It will be some time before actual



WEST PARIS UNIVERSALIST-UNITARIAN CHURCH 100TH BIRTHDAY—Members of the West Paris Universalist-Unitarian Church are making plans to celebrate the 100th birthday of their church on Main Street. Eleanor Inman is chairman of this event. Music is being arranged by Peggy Turner and Jim Burke. Memorabilia is being collected by Joyce Lamb, and will include a portfolio of "Then and Now" photos, done by Robin Jane Kluz. The Celebration Service will be held on Sunday, Oct. 15, at 2 p.m. at the church, with a reception and refreshments to follow. Anyone who would like to join in the choir for that day may call Turner at 743-6684. Those wishing to share memories are asked to get them to Joyce Lamb, or call her at 674-2002. Speakers for the service will be Marilyn Hammond, South Paris, on U.U. history and Beverly Stevens will give her interpretation of the stained-glass windows at the church.

al engineer work can begin. In Bethel we may be called on for additional public information support to assist the NRCS.

Saturday, Sept. 23, 2006. Fall foliage means bus tours covering our area. A GLOBUS BUS made a lunch stop at the "Brew Pub." The passengers may have been taking the GLOBUS nine-day Classic Fall Foliage that started in Boston — then to Bar Harbor from whence it traveled westward from the coast to Bethel's tourism nemesis, North Conway.

During the past week, gas prices at the Irving Station have dropped in five stages over the last eight days from \$2.649 to \$2.499. Also heating oil prices have declined. Cash price at Brooks Bros. for regular heating oil is now down to \$2.299 per gallon. It still has a long way to go to reach 1998 prices. In August 1998 we had

a delivery that with a cash discount came to 80 cents a gallon.

Recently two more well-known local groups have fallen under the spell and sway of the Rooster's Roadhouse. First group was the Bethel Seniors. Nancy Mercer helped with the menu and organizing the luncheon. Although the Seniors lunched on the house's own Fresh Chicken Vegetable Soup followed by Roasted Chicken Breast, the group brought their own dessert, a Chocolate Earthquake Cake — a masterpiece dessert! As restaurant chef, owner and culinary judge, Gary reports that he treated himself to a piece — then gave the group a five-star rating. Gary also will be switching to a Fall Menu at the Rooster's Roadhouse. He has told me that they will be serving Prime Rib now on Friday and Saturday nights, and

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the Fall menu will start off with Yankee Pot Roast, Roast Duckling, and more!

A Bethel Historical Society Luncheon, arranged by Steve Seames, who collected the participants and organized the event, made up the second recent group visit into Mayville. This group was made up of members of the Sons of the American Revolution and Daughters of the American Revolution along with local guests. Keeping in the fall social but revolutionary spirit of 230 years ago, their luncheon consisted of Maine Haddock, Yankee Pot Roast, and roasted Stuffed Chicken Breast along with Warm Apple Crisp topped with vanilla ice cream.

Out at our bird feeder activity has dropped so that only a few old-reliables visit daily — female goldfinches, a nut-hatch, a few chickadees and two pairs of cardinals.

Upton



by Eleanor LeComte
Maybe this week will bring a more colorful foliage season.

Actually we have had very little of that necessary ingredient called frost to activate the process.

Summer lingered on longer than other years. We still have a few hummingbirds flying around. Sue Nelson, Ginny Williamson and I have seen them several times this week. They are not interested in the

feeders; the colorful flowers that remain are what they are interested in. We don't know whether they are migrants or locals, but it does our hearts good to have them a little longer.

Last week a very tall tree fell on our house. Knowing that there are other trees that could fall on the house we called Sam Chapman, who came to the rescue. That one tree turned into about 40 trees needing to be removed. It will take a lot of work fixing up after the job is done but it's better than having a tree fall into your bedroom in the middle of the night. Thank you to those expert loggers!

The pontoon boats are being removed from the lake as another cold season moves in. Canoes and kayakers are still enjoying the lake. The water depths fall every day exposing those hidden rocks we have avoided all summer.

The tomatoes ripened to a rich red this year, which is a mini miracle.

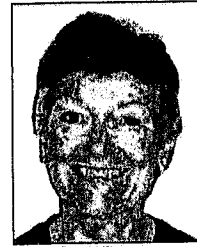
This is not an apple year but there are many places out of town to pick your own. Jennifer Casey and her girls, Jessica and Caitlin, loaded up on their supply and brought us a bag of those wonderful Macouns. You can't beat them.

One of the events this week was a "Going Away" dinner for the Millers at the Rooster's Roadhouse. Last week these "Party Animals" had a 50th anniversary dinner at the same restaurant. If this keeps up we may have to hold Weight Watchers meetings at the "Rooster."

Seth Brennon hosted a pig roast at his Route 26 property. The rain didn't seem to deter them from having a good time.

We are seeing very few songbirds at the present time.

West Bethel



by Lorrie Hoeh

The low-lying areas are brilliant with color, with the red maples lead-

ing the march into fall. We're beginning to notice the first blush of muted colors on the far hillsides as well, and the fall asters are showing off their blues and whites. That morning chill is refreshing for those of us who choose that time to walk — not much chance of overheating at 46 degrees!

We were gone for a few days last week when we took our friends, Hank and Shirley Bowen of Philadelphia, to Cobscook Bay State Park for three days of tent camping. The weather cooperated beautifully, with the rain stopping here at the Hoehstead early Wednesday morning before we packed our gear in a small utility trailer. At the other end of the ride, the last clouds passed over Cobscook before we arrived, so that we were able to set up without getting soggy.

While there we hiked the Quoddy Head trail along the shore, drove to Campobello

Island to walk the beach and buy some lobsters. (Would you believe we couldn't find anywhere in the Lubec area to buy seafood? And believe me, we tried.) We also canoed the sheltered coves of Cobscook Bay one morning and then visited Reversing Falls in the afternoon. Our Pennsylvania visitors were mightily impressed with the beauty of Down East Maine (they already love the Bethel area), and with how well the park is maintained. After packing up in dry weather on Saturday morning, we headed west to Bethel, in rain all the way. How's that for luck?

Last Tuesday, Sept. 19, the Senior College held its annual meeting at the West Parish Congregational Church. After refreshments and a brief business meeting with election of officers, the group assembled in the sanctuary for a bit of entertainment by the Senior Players. Lynn and Joe Arizzi presented a one-act comedy entitled "Jumping," and Yours Truly performed a humorous monologue, "Help Me! I'm Becoming My Mother." The audience enjoyed many opportunities for laughter and made the performers feel appreciated.

Jane Hosterman had a surprise visit last weekend from son Richie and his wife. They all attended the supper Saturday night at the West Bethel Union Church. It was the last supper of the season, with the usual wonderful food, and it made a tidy profit for the church. The Hostermans-Three visited Sunday River Alpacas on Sunday afternoon, and Richie's dog, a North-of-Highland Terrier, thought the alpacas, chickens, dogs, and fish were all pretty wonderful. Richie's wife came away with a lovely pair of alpaca gloves, guaranteed to keep her pinks warm.

After having come in second out of six at the Oxford County Fair, the Pleasant Valley Grange is now hard at work

preparing its exhibit for the Fryeburg Fair, which starts on Sunday, Oct. 1. Members joined the Alder River Grange on Friday night for installation of new officers. The two groups alternate hosting their joint installations.

Barbara Mahler and Jane Hosterman once again worked at the District Exchange on Saturday and were kept very busy. Area churches take turns staffing the Exchange, which seems to do more business as time goes on.

The West Bethel Children's Center started its fall term a couple of weeks ago, with a class of 19 little munchkins. Freda Davis tells me that the children are settling in nicely, learning the rules of the school, safety procedures, and the routine order of things. She said that the staff is trying out having the children stay at their table seats after breakfast for a short paper-and-pencil activity, which seems to work well. In addition to inside doings, such as raising monarch caterpillars and watching them emerge from their chrysalises, the children spend lots of time outdoors. School is off to a good start.

My friend Anne Gass and I will be alternating days at the Farm Museum at Fryeburg during Fair Week, demonstrating spinning. If you come to the Fair, please do stop by and say "hello." Our spot is upstairs in the Museum, amongst all the other antiques on display there. Hope to see you there. Call or write with news: 836-3011; dhoeh@megalink.net.

Andover



by Melinda Averill

Fall is fast approaching — don't you like the smell of the air this time of year?

(You won't hear me saying that about winter air.)
Attention Town Folks — it

seems that sometime this past weekend the small trees in front of the Andover School were run over and extensively damaged. This is the second time that this vandalism has happened, and it is doubtful that they will survive. These evergreen trees were planted by the students at the Elementary School, with money they raised themselves, to remember the victims of Sept. 11, 2001. If anyone saw or heard anything near the school, or has any information on the person or persons that were involved, please come forward to school officials or the sheriff's department.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hall and two children, Conyers, Ga., have been visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Farrington visited last week with granddaughter Mandy Davis in Connecticut. They also attended the Big E in Springfield, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Silva Havana, Ill., spent a week visiting her sister, Betty Moore, Beatrice Schneider and other relatives.

Visiting with their former teacher Violet Swain on Sept. 22 were Phyllis Schneider, Mrs. Gilbert Silva, Havana, Ill., Emma White Gerioux, Rumford, and Ronnie White, East Andover. Joining the group was Gilbert Silva and Robert Swain.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Leach in Tilley, Canada this week were her niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Silva. Mrs. Leach is the former Louise Crocker.

The Andover Firemen's Association is having their annual Craft Fair on Saturday, Dec. 9. Reserve your space early by calling Elaine at 392-1140 or 392-3302.

There will be a meeting for those interested in participating in Andover's second Halloween Walk. You must be at least high school age and over to participate. The meeting will be held on Oct. 1 at 4 p.m. at Andover Automotive, Main

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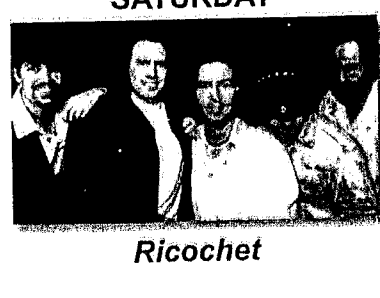
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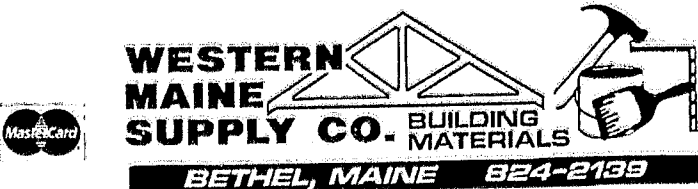
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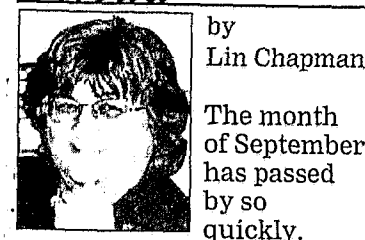
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Street. See you there!

Belated sympathy is extended to the family of Louise Greig, who passed away two weeks ago. She lived in Andover for many years, and helped to run Dave's Store with her son.

Celebrating birthdays this week are Drew Hutchins on the 29th, and Gabe Coolidge on the 30th.

Gilead



by Lin Chapman

The month of September has passed by so quickly.

Fall has arrived and there have been reports of a little frost in some areas.

My brother, Steve McLain, has been keeping us supplied with tomatoes from his garden. I will miss them when they go by.

Hugh and I attended an 80th birthday party for Francis 'Hi' Berry this past weekend. There was quite a crowd of people there when we got there and several more arrived after we did. I recognized several of the people there, but not all were familiar to me. Mr. Berry, as I knew him at Gould Academy, was one of my favorite math (algebra) teachers. I also got to see my other favorite math (geometry) teacher, but since he really doesn't want to see his name in the column, I told his wife, Meg, that I would leave it out. We stayed and visited for a while and I got to catch up with Merrill Bittner on what has been happening in the Adult Education Office lately.

Get well wishes to Sidney Murphy who is recovering from pneumonia.

Planning Board
The monthly Planning Board meeting will be held at 7 p.m. on Oct. 5 at the Town Hall. In addition to regular agenda items, there will be an application submittal for the Peaked Hill Estates subdivision. Contact Jack Pucak at 836-2729 for information related to the meeting. Applications for work may be obtained from Jack or at the Town Office.

Gilead Historical Society
The Gilead Town Hall was busy this past weekend with the GHS Annual Meeting and Potluck Supper. It was great to see so many people come

out for the evening. One of the reasons for the supper is to try to get as many community members together as possible. There were twenty-five adults and 10 children who attended.

Several people stayed for the presentation by Norm Buttrick, GHS Historical Archaeologist. Norm showed slides from some of the digs that he has done with his students, and it is quite fascinating how they dig the hole and sift through the dirt to find artifacts. One slide showed a student who had dug down and found a brick sidewalk that had been buried though the years. Norm also showed some of the artifacts that the GHS received from the Maine Historic Preservation Commission that were gathered from the Prescott Bennett site in Gilead. Thanks to Norm for a great job.

The Annual Meeting was held after the presentation and there were 14 members present. We briefly discussed what had happened so far this year: the artifacts received, the Cohen Exhibit (with Bethel Historical Society) and Friends and Family Day. The last thing will be to put together the fall newsletter that will be a recap of the year.

It was decided that we would try to do the Friends and Family Day again on June 23, 2007 and the Annual Meeting and Potluck Supper will be on Sept. 22, 2007. The next meeting of the GHS will be on March 24, 2007 and will be a lecture (yet to be determined) and a planning meeting for the June event. A lot of great ideas were passed around for lectures and improvements on the June event.

The committee recommended the same slate of officers for another year.

Got any news? Call 836-2987 or e-mail chapmal@hotmail.

Newry



by Sylvia Harrington

There are pumpkins at Norm Davis' stand. It looks like a bumper crop.

My friend Susan Kilduff from Salisbury, Mass., was here for an overnight. We drove in to Bethel and had coffee with Mark on Sunday and then went over to the very nice antique shop across from Beth-

el's Best. On our way home we drove up the Branch Road. On our way back there were turkeys in the road near the Cowan's place. When we got near to them they flew off. Now everyone sees turkeys these days, but I have never seen a group — parents and young ones — fly so high. They went right up and over my neighbor's two-story building. We were both amazed at this feat.

Later the weather cleared up and we enjoyed the afternoon together. Susan left for home around 4 p.m.

The BRTP has tagged 21 bear, and the largest tagged is still the 375-pound bear from last week. Doug said there are still some good sale prices on fishing equipment. It won't be too long before chili will be on hand. At this time coffee and snacks and the famous hot dogs are on the menu.

The Dunn's were camping with friends at Cape Cod this past weekend. While there the Barry's, who live on the Cape, joined them for a visit and lobster feed. The Barry's took the lobster leftovers home and made lobster bisque and lobster rolls and invited the campers for brunch on Sunday before they left for home. They also made corn chowder along with grilled cheese sandwiches for those who don't eat lobster.

The weather was excellent for the first couple of days, but they drove back to Maine in a bit of rain.

During the weekend of Oct. 7 and 8 a Wellness Weekend at Mahoosuc, Route 26 in North Newry next to Grafton Notch State Park, is on the menu. Pre-registration is a must. Please call Polly Mahoney at 824-2073 if you would like to attend. There will be Foot Reflexology by Nancy Nutt of Lincolnville, Massage Therapy by Donna Gifford of Andover, Archetypal Storytelling by Cate Journey of Mexico, and an Apache Holy Woman and Healer, Sapoknio Whitefeater of Virginia. These women will be available for sessions throughout

the weekend. If you wish to book an appointment, please call Polly at the above number info@mahosuc.com for more details. The weekend starts at 9 a.m. on Saturday and will end at 5 p.m. on Sunday. On Saturday at 6 p.m. there will be a potluck supper.

Mason



by Richard Grover

One day last week my niece, Elsie Aylward, who lives just across Pleasant

River, had an unwelcome visitor. She sleeps with a bedroom window open during good weather, and one night she was awakened by a commotion just outside her bedroom window, followed by a very strong "eau de skunk." Her dog, Ginger, had tangled with a black and white critter. The odor was so bad in her bedroom she couldn't sleep, so she went up to "the Farm" to sleep at Rupert and Ina's house. There she showered and washed all the clothes she had on in order to minimize the odor.

As if that weren't bad enough, at some time after this activity, son Josh came home and unwittingly let Ginger into the

house, not knowing until too late that Ginger was "persona non grata." By the time Josh realized the situation, Ginger had lain on the carpet and left the telltale evidence in the living room. Elsie was some upset with Josh, Ginger and the whole situation. When Mona found out about the event, she told Elsie she had some stuff she had used on Snuffy last year when he got involved with a skunk. Elsie came up to borrow the "de-scent" bottle. Mona recommended that she shampoo the area where Ginger had lain on the carpet with de-scent and then rinse it out real good and hope that it helps. We haven't talked to Elsie since, so we haven't heard how well it worked.

Last Sunday, our minister at the West Bethel Church, Earl Bell, talked about "The Dash," referring to a book Nesta Littlefield had loaned him. It seems that "the dash" refers to the dash on a tombstone between the date of birth and the date of death; the author's thesis is apparently that what happened during a person's "dash" was much more important than the dates on either side. This got me thinking about something that actor Danny de Vito said in one of his movies: something like,

"It's the American way to spend your life in a contest to collect the most 'stuff' before you die. The one who dies with the most 'stuff' wins!" Ain't it the truth! I see and read about so many people in this country who are so busy collecting "stuff" or money that they never take time to enjoy it; when they die, their kids end up spending their "stuff."

West Paris



by Joyce Lamb

Fall had arrived during the week but Sunday turned out

to be 72 degrees with sun between heavy rain showers. Oxford County Fair week was pleasant and we can only hope for the same for Fryeburg Fair. Sometimes Fryeburg Fair has been cold enough to wear winter jackets, fleece sneakers, flannel-lined denims, hats and gloves. I plan to spend two days and one night there with relatives.

At the West Paris Universalist Church on Oct. 1, Joseph Perham will be the speaker. Jim Burke is organist. A coffee hour follows. All are wel-

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Plans are progressing for the celebration of the Universalist Church's one-hundredth birthday. It will be held on Oct. 15 at 2 p.m. Several of the past ministers plan to attend along with former parishioners and friends. Former choir members are rehearsing to entertain us. Come join us to celebrate this occasion. The new back door is in with new keys, thanks to Jim Burke, Sayward Lamb, and Gilbert Turner.

Several of the residents at Ledgeview Nursing Home were helping the activity department with their fall rummage sale. I went down for the three days to help also.

The road in the center of West Paris village is nearly completed. The lawns and driveways of the homes are about done. The sidewalks are yet to be hot topped. The walking ladies have been inspecting the progress each morning that we walk and soon should be able to leave the road and use the new walks. It is all looking much better.

Buffy is still doing well and does enjoy the sunny days.

Hanover

by Clem Worcester

Barb and Irv Robinson were kayaking in Howard Pond when they found a beaver chomping trees and dragging

them off. We presume they have discovered a violation of the Shoreland Zone Ordinance.

Sept. 24 to 30 is National Vasculitis Awareness Week. During July, Richard Burns was elected to the board of directors for the Vasculitis Foundation at the national symposium. It is his second term on the board that was formerly known as Wegener's Granulomatosis Association. The name was changed to support a broader mission of research into all autoimmune vasculitic diseases. Richard is chairman of the U.S. chapter committee. He and Barbara also head the Maine VF chapter that meets in Augusta three times a year.

Hanover is well represented at the local golf courses. Recently, Tracy Moir won the Ladies' 2006 Club Championship at the Bethel Inn and Country Club where she is a member. Bob Dragoon is a member of the Balsams Grand Resort Country Club where he recently won the Men's 2006 Club Championship.

Jim Ray arrives at Triple J this week. Next week he goes to Islip, N.Y., to meet Judy. Together they will visit Long Island Sound, cross on the Orient Point Ferry to New London, Conn., and continue on to Hanover.

The Hanover Planning Board will meet on Oct. 4, at the Hanover Town Office at 6 p.m. The board is two members short with the resignation of Roger Robin as a mem-

ber and Bob Brown as an alternate. Recently, Jim Barker, a part-time Hanover resident, donated maps of Hanover for use by the Comprehensive Plan Committee as they work toward updating the Comprehensive Plan.

East Bethel

by Nancy Mercer

Alder River Grange will have an open meeting on Oct. 13 for Seniors Plus to explain new changes to Medicare Plan D. The meeting will be at 7:30 p.m., if you would like to come.

Jaylee Jackson of Londonderry, N.H., visited with her grandmother, Daisy Coolidge, from Sept. 21 to 24.

Jack and Lucy Nordahl spent a day at Popham Beach on Sept. 20.

Ryan Bernier is now in Afghanistan. His mailing address is: Ryan Bernier, 455 EMSS/COMM, APO AE 09354.

Danielle Bernier and friend, Anita Nelson, from Duluth, Minn., visited Andre and Flossie Bernier recently.

Andre and Flossie Bernier attended a Gretchen Wilson Concert in Portland recently.

My brother, John, is now home. He gets around very slowly.

More colors are showing on the trees.

Have a nice week. God Bless the Troops.

Albany

by Sheila Dyke

Greetings and hello from Albany Township! The days are getting cooler, this past weekend saw the official start of autumn, and the autumn foliage has been springing out in reds, oranges and yellows throughout the area. Still, even when we look out our kitchen window and to the wonderful mountain range, and see these colors, it is still so very difficult to get into the headset that winter will be here soon.

We saw the nice write-up of Pam Rugg in The Citizen last week regarding her training for walking the Appalachian Trail with Carleton and Grizzly next year. We are very proud of Pam. We have no doubt she'll reach — and surpass — her goal.

The pumpkins are turning orange, and the Barton's Farm Stand is still offering great produce (you can see their lovely tomatoes in front as you drive by). Last time I drove by, I saw that K-D's Acres still has some autumn blooms displaying in their front yard.

Best wishes for a happy and safe week. God Bless and Keep!

AWARD-WINNING DESIGN

Janet Black, owner of Designs Florist and Interiors of Bethel, won top honors recently at the Maine State Florist and Growers Association Fall Convention. Black earned the People's Choice Award for her themed arrangement entitled "Getting Back to ME." She was also named the Designer of the Year. Her arrangement features pine cones, potatoes, lobster shells, an old snowshoe, rocks, roses, birch bark and bit-tersweet in a representation of Maine. Black was scheduled to compete this month in Florida for Designer of the Year, United States, in the Sylvia Cup Design Competition.



Bryant Pond

by Alice Hoyt

Franklin Grange 124 met at the hall on Monday, Sept. 18, with nine members present. Starting in October they will try meeting in the daytime — the first and third Saturday mornings during October and November, starting at 10 a.m. and ending with a potluck dinner. Laura Hutchins read some things about TABOR. Sick members were reported on. The Grange will hold Pomona Grange on Oct. 3, regular meeting on Oct. 7, and put on the Republican Supper on Oct. 10. The program was as follows: opening thought; opening song, "Welcome Song"; Grange History written by Stan Howe and read by Olive Risko; song, "Be Faithful O Patron"; more Grange History read by Sterling Mills; song, "It's a Good Thing to be a Granger"; roll call, each member told of something they remember when or since they had joined the Grange; closing thought, closing song, "Good Night Ladies."

Today, Sept. 28, Nancy Willard will lead a class in Tai Chi, a gentle exercise, at the Whitman Memorial Library for all ages and there is no charge. Time: 10 to 11 a.m.

Services at the Baptist Church are Sunday School at 9:15 a.m., morning service at 10:30 a.m., choir practice at 5 p.m., evening service at 6 p.m. Wednesday evening at 6:30 is

prayer meeting, and Thursday morning at 9 is Ladies Bible Study. On Sunday, Sept. 17, the Merritts ministered in music. It was very good.

Sympathy is extended to Crystal (Chase) Bean and Kaylea and family and friends of Aric Bean, who died last Saturday in a plane crash in Alaska.

Bernice Swan's daughter, Marie, and husband have been visiting her and have now returned to Arizona.

South Woodstock

by Andrea Wing

Frank Frazer and several of his family members attended the weekend races at Loudon, N.H., over the weekend. Over 100,000 people attended, many with campers. He said he was very impressed by the race-track and drivers. They all had a wonderful time.

I am happy to see Joe Pete Appleby is home from the hospital after an operation. He had been staying with his daughter, Dannie, but is now home. He stopped by for a visit last Wednesday evening.

An award was given at the Oxford County Fair to Mike Kelley of Woodstock for "Best pair of 4-H steers." This award is a plaque given each year by Leslie and Patricia Thurlow in memory of their son, Bruce Thurlow.

Quote of the Week: "I have learned that a diet is the penalty for exceeding the food limit."

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Waterford



by Rockie Graham

The first day of fall was last Saturday, and the weather sure has caught

up. The afternoons may still get warm, but the mornings are definitely fall-like. We have seen geese flying by as they begin to head south for the winter. The gardens are making a last ditch effort to produce what little they have left. Our corn has lost most of its taste. The pumpkins are a beautiful shade of orange. We have nice jack-o-lantern pumpkins in our compost pile. The pie pumpkins that I planted did not do as well.

Being fall it is fair season. Once again we missed the Common Ground Fair, but hope to see at least part of the Fryeburg Fair. Maybe Woodsmen's Day is the time to go — I only have Fridays and Mondays off.

I missed the first night, but there is a Maine Humanities Council event that is happening the next few Mondays at the Waterford Library and then at the Harrison Library. The next book to be talked about is "Songs of Rita Joe." The books are available at the library. The talks begin at 7 p.m. Register at either the Waterford or the Harrison library. FMI: 583-2050.

The Mountain Poets meets this Thursday, Sept. 28 at 7 p.m. at the Fare Share Commons. It is a time for all poets and poetry lovers to come and read or listen to poetry. FMI: Lisa at 734-9808.

Becky, Chris and the girls are working hard to move into their new home here on Just Rite Acres. Chris is digging the well and septic and they are looking for an electrician to get hooked up to the power lines. We expect them to be fully moved in within two weeks.

That is all for this week. Enjoy the great weather we are having. See you at the Fair.

From Bethel Historical Society's Regional History Center

Approximately fifty members and friends attended the 41st annual meeting of the Bethel Historical Society held on Sept. 14. The meeting was preceded by a bountiful pot dinner featuring roast chicken, salads, casseroles, cornbread and a wide variety of desserts.

President Allen Cressy called the meeting to order following dinner. He announced that the report of the 2005 annual meeting was published in the society's quarterly and that the 2005 financial report would be available soon and it too would appear in a future issue of The Courier.

A moment of silence was observed for all the members who had died since the last annual meeting. Those so remembered were Charlene Haines, Richard Carter, Howard Cole, Robert Mills, Daisy LeClair, Willard Wight, Judy Haskell, Earlon Keniston, Margaret Carter Bean, Elizabeth Mason Carter, George Gamble, Ruth Gilbert, Pauline Wieden, Jay Woolsey, and Eldon Greenleaf.

The president then reviewed some of the highlights since the last annual meeting. These included over 85 gifts of artifacts for the collection, a gain of 82 new members, the establishment of a high school intern program with Mo Doyle as the first intern, the presence of a summer intern from the New England and American Studies program at the University of Southern Maine (David Jones), the hosting of the Yankee Brass Band for a concert in July and an exhibit on the political career of William S. Cohen, the sponsor-

ship of a popular course on Maine and the Civil War and a house tour focusing on nine Bethel homes, the opening of a special exhibit on the 40th anniversary of the society's founding, and a successful series of annual special events, many of them honoring the 40th anniversary of the founding in 1966.

Following this, the new proposed bylaws were introduced for consideration. Despite opposition from three members, they were supported by a large majority and have been officially adopted. This document represented hours of work by a committee consisting of Grace McKivergan, William Andrews, Walter Hatch, Allen Cressy and Stan Howe. Using models from a number of Maine institutions as well as one recommended by the American Association of Museums, the committee merged the former constitution and bylaws into one document that was also reviewed by life member, Attorney Michael J. O'Donnell.

After the vote for the new bylaws, Executive Director Stanley R. Howe presented the 20th annual Marjorie MacArthur Noll Volunteer Service Award. The award honors each year an outstanding volunteer who embodies the dedicated spirit of service to the organization so ably represented by Mrs. Noll. Howe's remarks included the following: "This year we are honoring Judy Haskell, who so perfectly embodied her close friend Marjorie MacArthur Noll's dedication to this organization by helping in numerous ways and in so many of its functions be it from guiding in the museum, helping with special events, serving on committees (including chairing the Noll Award Com-

mittee for years) and as society secretary and trustee, and always being there wherever needed.

She was above all the consummate volunteer and I am pleased and honored to present this award to one so very deserving. As everyone knows, Judy died late last year, so part of the pleasure in presenting the award has been lost with her death. Here to accept the award in her absence is her husband, Colwyn, who has his own record of service, particularly the hours he has spent plastering and repairing the exhibit gallery walls in the Robinson House. He was also very supportive of Judy's volunteer activities at the society and sometimes helped with her endeavors. So it is entirely fitting that this year's award be a joint one. It is my great pleasure to present this 2006 award to Judy and Colwyn Haskell."

The president then presented six honorary memberships to the following: (1) Rebecca Kendall, longtime member of the Investment Committee, a former trustee and society treasurer, active in recent years as a volunteer in the museum shop; (2) Rachel MacKay, active as a museum shop volunteer and in the work of the Special Project Committee; (3) Jean Owen, a longtime member of the Membership Committee, long active in the

museum shop and often helps with society mailings; (4) Dexter and Janet Stowell. (Dexter has long served on the Long Range and Strategic Planning Committee including years as chair; Jan has long been a volunteer coordinator for tours and New Year's Bethel and a shop volunteer.); (5) Janet Vogt, a "stalwart" of the flower show at Sudbury Canada Days and long a volunteer on the Garden and Grounds Committee.

To be eligible for this category, a member must be at least seventy-five and have an outstanding record of service to the organization. It is the society's highest membership award.

Next, Dean Walker, chairman of the Nominating Committee, and also consisting this year of Arlene Lowell and Dorothy Bartlett, presented the following report: president: Allen Cressy; vice president, Susan Herlihy; secretary and clerk of the trustees, Sarah Tucker; treasurer, Walter Hatch; trustee for three years, Sylvia Clanton; trustee for two years, Bruce Pierce. The slate was elected without dissent.

President Cressy thanked the retiring trustee and treasurer, Dorothy Bartlett and Grace McKivergan, respectively, for their dedicated service to the organization.

This was followed by nomination from the floor for the

two members of the Nominating Committee elected from the general membership. Those elected were Dean Walker and Arlene Lowell.

There were no further committee reports and the meeting was adjourned.

Following the annual meeting, Society Director Stanley R. Howe presented a slideshow providing views of a range of society activities over the past forty years with a bit of humor and a few colorful stories.

On Sept. 9, the society hosted a meeting of the Maine Society of the Sons of the American Revolution. Society life member Stephen T. Seames presented a slide lecture on local Revolutionary War gravesites as part of the program for the day.

On Sept. 16, the society observed its Apple-Pumpkin Festival by selling its always-popular pumpkin whoopee pies and the pressing of fresh cider in front of the Robinson House.

Many thanks are expressed to those who made whoopee pies: Barbara Cavallero, Allen Marcotte, Jane Gorman, Lynn Mason Courtney and Lorrie Hoeh.

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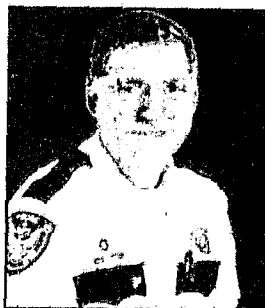
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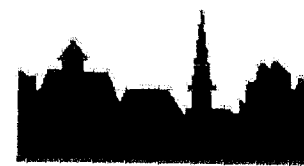
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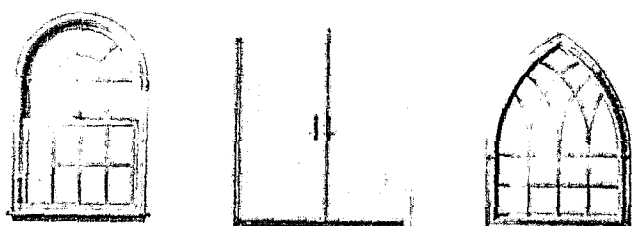
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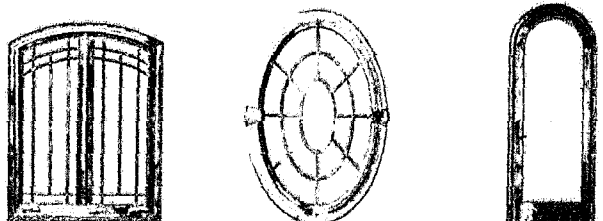
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Sports

High School Boys' Varsity Soccer

Telstar 4, Mt. Valley 1; Sept. 20—Telstar's Max Meader scored all four Rebel goals in a win over Mt. Valley. Mike Fleet and Matt Zinchuk each had assists. Kevin Gallagher had three saves.

High School Varsity Field Hockey

Telstar 3, Lisbon 2; Sept. 28—Telstar's Josie Reiss had two goals and Chelsea Bean one in a win over Lisbon. Whitney Mills and Bailey Davis had assists. Brianna Douglass had four saves in goal.

High School J.V. Field Hockey

Telstar 5, Dirigo 0; Sept. 13—T.J. Cowin scored twice, assisted once by Kate Driscoll, and Amanda Wiley, Stephanie Savage and Sam Largess each scored once as the Rebels beat Dirigo 5-0 on their home field. Aly Steven and Lindsay James played great games at midfield.—coach Kelly Dole.

High School Boys' Cross-country

5k meet at Richmond, Sept. 16—Telstar placed second of four teams. Winning time" 20:07. Telstar finishers: 6. Lance Brown 21:35; 13. Evan Fessenden 22:18; 15. John Lewis 23:22; 27. Will Chapman 27:07.

High School Girls' Cross-country

5k meet at Richmond, Sept. 16—Winning time: 23:01. Telstar finishers: 2. Jen Denormandie 24:28; 4. Brianna Bailey 25:31; 12. Bethany O'Neil 30:18.

High School Golf

Telstar's golf team ended the regular season yesterday by splitting three matches at Lakewood Golf Course in Skowhegan. The Rebels lost to Carrabec 4-1 as Dane Wilson was the only Rebel to win his match. The team lost to Wiscasset 3 ½ - 1 ½ as Dane again won and Kyle Maines tied his match. The Rebels won their match against Madison 4 ½ - ½, as each Rebel earned a point. Kyle, Ryan Hannigan, Dane and Trevor Kendall all won their matches and Eric Berard tied his match. Andrew Gundersen won each of his three matches on the day. Good job boys. The Rebels end their regular season at 2 wins and 12 losses (0-8) regular season record. The playoffs begin next week and the MVCs will be Oct 11 at Natanis Golf Course in Vassalboro.—coach Jim Lunney

Mt. Valley 4, Telstar 1; Sept. 21—Telstar's Kyle Maines won and was medalist for the match.

TMS J.V. Soccer

Telstar 4, Oxford Hills 0; Sept. 25—Telstar's Justin Smith stopped both shots on goal in defense. Two goals were scored by Randy Morin, and one each for Mike Black and Jacob Wakefield. There was one assist by Mike Black, and two for Tyler James. It was a dominating effort by each team player.—coach Mark Kenney

Telstar 1, Jay 0; Sept. 15—Telstar started the season with a win on the road at Jay. The lone goal was scored by Jacob

Wakefield and assisted by Avery Rossow. Justin Smith had a shutout in goal, with four good saves. Super defense supplied by Tobias Francis, Mike DeDuca, and Cody Boivin. Excellent offense pressure and passing by Tyler James, Catelynn Bennett, Calob Morton, Dusty Bailey, Rachel Wheeler, Katie Blaszcak, and Zach Hartzell. This was a great way to kick off the season.—coach Mark Kenney

Telstar 0, Carrabec 0; Sept. 21—The Rebels made a wonderful effort against a varsity-level team. Telstar played with a lot of energy and excitement. Justin Smith made three great saves in goal, including a stopped penalty kick at the end of the game.—coach Mark Kenney

TMS Varsity Soccer

Telstar 6, Oxford Hills 0; Sept. 25—Telstar goals were scored by Jeb Clarke and Josh Bellinger (one each) and Doug Gardner and Devon Vail (two each). There was one assist each for Jeb Clarke, Josh Bellinger, Tyler Brown and Danny Whitney, and two for Nick Schwarz. Daniel Vaughn had a shutout in goal. Great defense by all.—coach Mark Kenney

Youth Football

Third and Fourth Grade

Turner 18, Greenwood 0; Sept. 24—The Spartans defense continues to improve but their still looking for the offensive spark to ignite the team to their first victory. Dave Pilgrim, Kevin Goodrich, Zack Wheeler, and Noah Rose all handed in solid performances defensively. Offensively, Rose and Nick Johnson each had a nice run and Jordan Pilgrim and Carl Brooks stood out on the offensive line with some great blocking. Coach Jim Rose said the team showed much greater intensity this week. It should be noted last year's team lost their first four games before winning their last two.

Fifth and Sixth Grade

Turner 22, Greenwood 8; Sept. 24—A well-disciplined Turner team scored twice in the first quarter and held on to lead, handing the Spartans their second loss. Turner's defense stifled the Spartans running game but QB Dominic Haines exploited a weakness in the second quarter by connecting over the middle with Nick Mills for a 50-yard touchdown. Josef Holt made the conversion narrowing the score 12-8. Turner came right back and scored before the Spartans' defense made an adjustment effectively shutting down Turner for the rest of the game. However, the Spartans' attempt at a comeback were greatly diminished when, with seconds left in the half, Haines got injured forcing him out of the remainder of the game and taking the passing attack with him. Mills, Holt, and Bronson Dean all made some nice runs and the whole team played well defensively. The Spartans are the first team this season to score against the Titans, who could very well be the strongest team in the league.—coach Jim Rose

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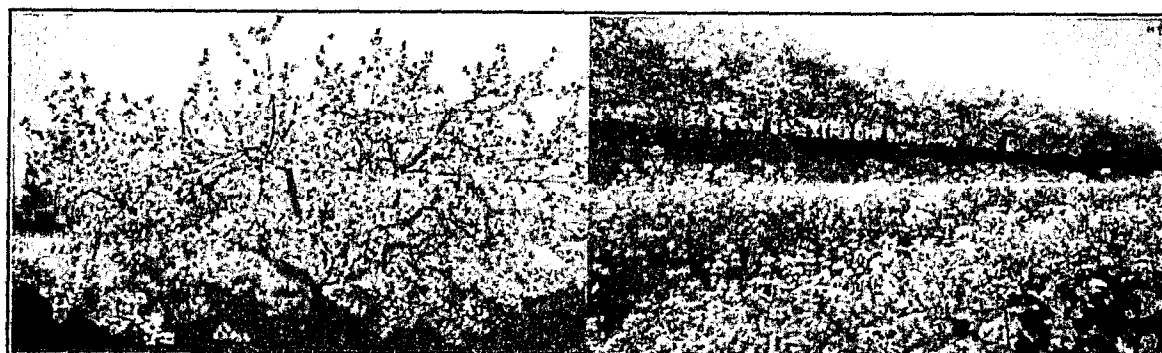
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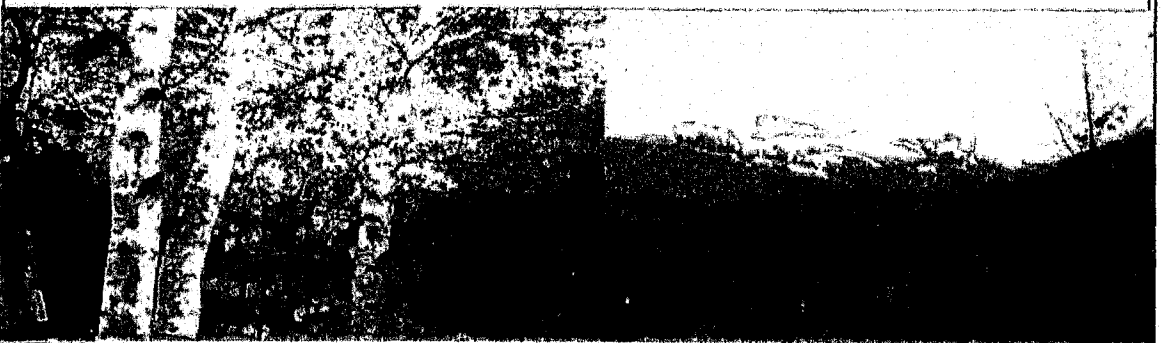
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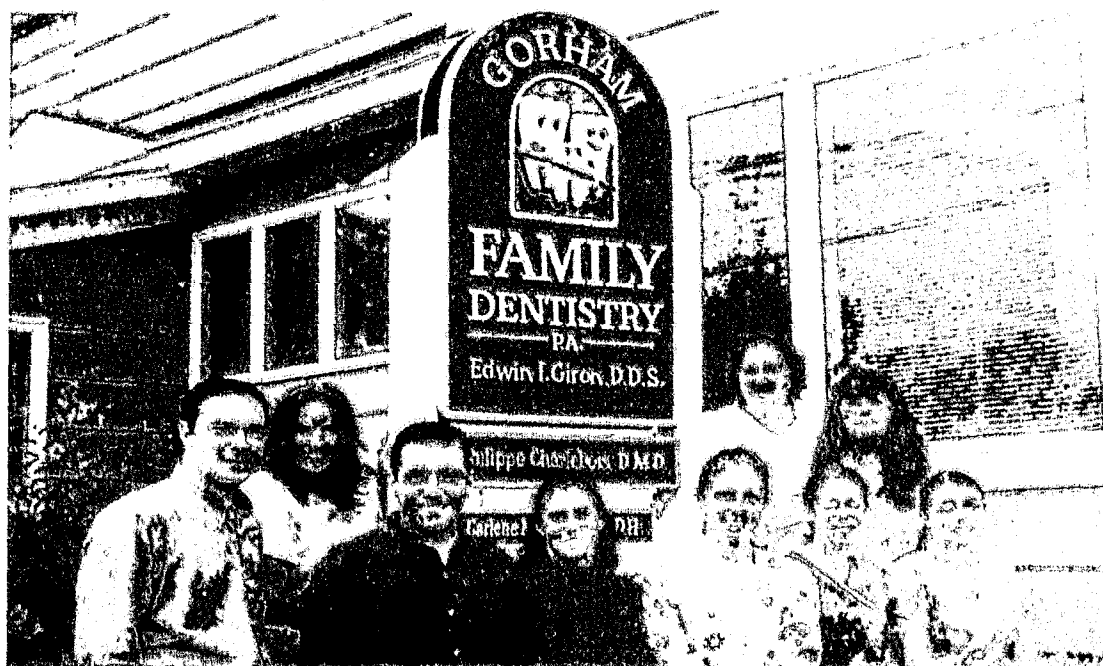
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10 to 11 a.m. Beginner Tai Chi classes will start Sept. 20 at Ellie's Workout Studio, taught by Bersey Foster, MPH. FMI: call 675-2126.

Thursday, Sept. 28

10 a.m. Tai Chi class by Nancy Willard at the Whitman Memorial Library in Bryant Pond. This is a gentle exercise for all ages and is open to all at no charge. Come and join the fun.
3 p.m. Western Mountains Senior Players will begin their fall season in the basement of the West Parish Congregational Church. Many are already signed up for the players but all seniors with a desire to try out their reading and acting talents are invited to join the Senior College and attend. FMI: call Lynn Arizzi at 824-0080.
7 p.m. -- Let's Talk About It Book Discussion series "Defining Wilderness: Defining Maine" at Norway Public Library. "The Wilderness from Chamberlain Farm" by Dean Bennett. Discussion leader: Candace Kanes, Ph.D. FMI: 743-5309.

Friday, Sept. 29

Art Exhibition featuring nature and landscape photography of the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge by Subhankar Banerjee opens at the Owen Art Gallery on the Gould Academy campus and will be on display through Dec. 15 from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. daily or by appointment on weekends.

Saturday, Sept. 30

8 a.m. -- Bake Sale at the Charlotte Hobbs Memorial Library in Lovell.
9 a.m. -- 17th annual Maine Mountain Annual Jamboree Parade, Main Street, Bethel. Lineup begins 8 and 8:30 a.m. on Cross Street and goes up Main around the common and back to Cross Street. Approximately 130 Jeeps.
Black Mountain 5k Trail Run and Nordic Dry-Land Clinic beginning 7 a.m. with a pancake breakfast by the Rumford Area Rotary Club. This event will kick off Black Mountain of Maine's season pass sales. Location: Glover Road, Rumford. FMI: www.skiblackmountainofme.org.

30th annual Dixville Half-Marathon Dixville Notch to Colebrook, N.H. Buffet pasta dinner at the Balsams Golf Clubhouse on Friday, Sept. 29, from 5:30 to 7 p.m. Prizes. FMI: call Julie at (603) 237-8783 ext. 357 or e-mail Julie.Rifon@Hitchcock.org or log on to Coolrunning.com under the New Hampshire Calendar.
9 a.m. to noon -- At McLaughlin Gardens, 97 Main Street, South Paris: The Great Divide annual plant swap. Bring labeled perennial divisions to swap and add to your collection. Also featured will be a bulb planting workshop and fall tours of the garden at 10 to 11 a.m. Donuts and cider. Free (please register). FMI: 743-8820 or visit www.mclaughlingarden.org.

Chinese Auction at Oxford Hills Comprehensive High School, South Paris to benefit Responsible Pet Care of Oxford Hills. Bidding will be 5 to 6:30 p.m. Drawing of winners, 6:30 p.m. Tickets: 10/\$2.50, also bonus tickets. Food/refreshments available.
4:30 to 6:30 p.m. -- Harvest Supper at Gorham, N.H., Congregational Church, 143 Main Street. Menu: red flannel hash, baked beans, corned beef, turkey, rolls, brown bread, coleslaw, pie and beverage. Adults, \$7; under 12, \$4. FMI: (603) 466-2136.

7 p.m. -- Benefit Auction to benefit Mystery 4-H Club's trip to Italy. Telstar High School auditorium. Preview at 6 p.m. Lots of great items and certificates. FMI: 824-0284.
October 1-8
Fryeburg Fair.
"Weavings" by Michael Patterson will hang at the Fiber Center at Fryeburg Fair Sunday through Saturday 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. and the last Sunday, 9 a.m.

to 6 p.m. FMI: contact Gale at 284-7379 or 935-3268.

Wednesday, Oct. 4

Oxford County Democratic Committee public forums on Identity Theft Informational Sessions with Maine Attorney General Steve Rowe -- 10 a.m., Hiram Town Office Meeting Room; 1 p.m., Fare Share Common, Norway; 4 p.m., Rumford Library Meeting Room. Forums are open to the public and are being presented at the request of the Oxford County Democratic Committee.

7 p.m. -- Peace and Hope Trust Missionary Paige Pittman will talk on her recent trip to Nicaragua at Ellie's Workout Express. Light refreshments. FMI: call Paige at 824-0084.

Friday, Oct. 6

7 to 8 p.m. -- "First Friday Opening" for an October and November art exhibit at Norway Memorial Library, Main Street, Norway. Variety of media represented including oils, watercolors, and photography. Public welcome to attend. FMI: call the library at 743-5309 or visit www.norway.lib.me.us.

7 to 9 p.m. -- Social Drumming Circle at Spirit Wings, 57 Main Street, Bethel. Extra drums available. FMI: call 824-2204.

Friday and Saturday, October 6 and 7
Reconnecting Our Farms With Our Schools Fall Conference at University of Maine-Farmington, sponsored by Western Mountains Alliance. Speakers: Dr. Arden Andersen, Mark Muller, and farm-to-school panels. Call 778-3885 for registration information or visit www.westernmountainsalliance.org.
6 to 8 p.m. -- Norway Memorial Library, in collaboration with the Western Maine Art Group, will host the "First Friday Opening" for an October and November art exhibit. This show will feature members of the Western Maine Art Group. FMI: call 743-5309 or visit www.Norway.lib.me.us.

Saturday, Oct. 7

8 a.m. -- Annual Memory Walk sponsored by Maine Alzheimer's Association starting at Maine Veterans' Home, 477 High Street, South Paris. Four-mile walk will start at 9 a.m.
9 to 12 a.m. -- Household Hazardous Waste collection at SAD44 bus garage. For households only. Bethel/Newry/Hanover residents do not need to register in advance (if a question contact your town office).

9:30 a.m. -- Annual Fall Foliage Flotilla, a family-friendly trip on the Magalloway River in Wilson's Mills north of Errol, N.H., hosted by Mahosuc Land Trust. Anyone wishing to join the fun is asked to call the Land Trust office at 824-3806 to register. The group will assemble in the parking lot of Sunday River Brewing Co. at 9:30 a.m. and caravan to the river. Participants must provide their own canoes or kayaks, life vests, lunch and snacks. Return time to Bethel will be approximately 3:30 p.m.

7th North American Wife Carrying Championships (NAWCC) at Sunday River, part of the Fall Festival Weekend which includes the 19th annual Summit Challenge Race, live music from Max Creed, beer garden, wine tasting presented by Legends Restaurant, the 23rd annual Blue Mountain Arts and Craft Fair, children's games and activities, scenic chairlift rides, wagon rides and much more. FMI: 824-5243 or visit www.sundayriver.com.

Wellness Weekend at Mahosuc, with several wellness practitioners, including a massage therapist and foot reflexologist and Apache Holy Woman and healer. Potluck dinner Saturday night. FMI and to register: call Polly Mahoney at 824-2073.
Sunday Oct. 8
12 noon to 4 p.m. -- Greenwood Fire Department Open House at Locke Mills Station on Howe Hill Road. Please stop by and meet new Fire Chief Jim Owens, and get a tour of the station. Refreshments will be served. Everyone invited to attend.
4 to 7 p.m. -- Benefit Supper for Jerry John-



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son and Jerry Hart at Legion Hall on Gore Road, Locke Mills. Menu: spaghetti and meatballs. 50/50 raffle. Calendars on sale. Admission: \$5 adults for the supper and \$2.50 for 12 and under.

Tuesday, Oct. 10

6 to 8 p.m. -- Reiki Share Group. Open to Reiki Practitioners of all levels and lineages at Spirit-Wings, 57 Main Street, Bethel. FMI: call 824-2204.
Oxford County Republican Committee meeting at Franklin Grange, Route 26 (Main Street) in Bryant Pond.

Wednesday, Oct. 11

11 a.m. -- Bethel Senior Citizens Club meeting at Pleasant Valley Grange Hall in West Bethel. Entertainment will be by Del Parker.

Friday, Oct. 13

7 p.m. -- Holistic Film Series, "Changing Hearts," a romantic comedy dealing with very risky subjects, from cancer, aging, and sex, to mastectomies, prostheses, and falling in love, at Telstar Regional High School library, sponsored by Western Maine Holistic Health Council. This film leaves you feeling that all of our journeys have purpose. Stars Faye Dunaway. Length: 96 min. Free; donations gratefully accepted. FMI: call 824-2204.
7:30 p.m. -- Chamber Concert at Hebron Acad-

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my's Androscoggin Theater, sponsored by Saul B. and Naomi R. Cohen Foundation. Parking available at Robinson Arena parking lot, just off Route 119 in Hebron.

Friday and Saturday, October 13-14

2nd annual Parrot Head Golf Classic for Alzheimer's at The Bethel Inn Resort and Country Club. Information and forms available online at www.phcofmaine.com. FMI: e-mail golf@phcofmaine.com or call 415-3823. For accommodations call (800) 654-0125.

It's always wise to call ahead

Listings in The Citizen's weekly Community Calendar are compiled from a wide variety of sources. While we do our utmost to ensure the reliability of the information presented here, we recognize that when dealing with such a large volume of material, some inaccuracies will occasionally creep in. And in other cases, a sponsoring organization's plans may change between the time The Citizen is printed and the event is held. Accordingly, we strongly urge our readers to call ahead to verify the details of any event they plan to attend. Doing so will greatly reduce the chance of disappointment or needless inconvenience.

Support Services

ABUSED WOMEN'S ADVOCACY PROJECT

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 568-0750; Norway office 743-5065. 24 hour hotline 1-800-559-2927

AA MEETINGS

Bethel Freedom Group's Big Book Meeting Sundays at 9 a.m. at the United Methodist Church, Main Street.
Bethel Freedom Group's Closed Women's Speaker Discussion Meeting, Tuesdays at 6pm at the United Methodist Church, Main Street.
Bethel Freedom Group's Step Meeting, Fridays at 6 p.m. at Bethel United Methodist Church.

ADDICTION HELP

Narconon, a nonprofit public benefit organization that specializes in helping people with drug or alcohol addictions offers FREE assessments and more than 11,000 local referrals through the 800 line. Drug addiction can be overcome and Narconon can help. Call (800) 556-8885 or visit www.narconon.org

ALCOHOL & DRUG COUNSELING

Alcohol and drug counseling. Saturdays at Bethel Counseling Center, 16 Parkway (Professional Building). Tom Kelly, LADC 675-7554

EXCHANGES

Interfaith Exchange Community Thrift Shop accepts donations of household items and clothing. Open weekdays 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturdays 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The shop is located at 100 Main Street, Bethel.

The Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church Community Service Center announces that individuals who are in need of food, clothing, and other necessities are invited to call 674-2906, 674-2902, or 665-2226 to learn more details.

MS SUPPORT GROUP

Meets the first Friday of the month from 12:30pm at the West Parish Congregational Church, next to Gould Academy. For more information, call Gale Tout at 836-2900.

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

Meets Tuesday in the conference room at the Mexico Congregational UCC ("The Green Church"), 153 Main Street, Mexico. Everything spoken and heard here is confidential. Anyone trying to cope with the loss of a loved one is welcome. FMI call Sue Byam at 364-8185

MENTAL ILLNESS SUPPORT GROUP

Beacon House Social Club, 150 Congress Street, Rumford, a drop-in social club for adults suffering with mental, emotional, or physical illness, provides support, relaxation, and socialization. Monday 1 to 5pm; Tuesday 9am-2pm; Wednesday 9am-8pm; Wednesday 3-8pm; Friday 2-7pm; Saturday 11am-4pm. Oxford County Mental Health Services, support for adults and children with mental illness, same location, second floor, open Monday-Friday 8am-4pm. For more information, call 864-3549 or (800) 333-9999, or in off-hours 928-3222.

POST PARTUM SUPPORT GROUP

"Meet the Midwives" meets from 5-6:30 every first Tuesday of the month, and the Post Partum Support Group meets every fourth Wednesday of the month from 6:30-7:30. The meetings take place at Blue Moon Midwives, 176 Main Street, Norway, directly across from Stephen's Memorial Hospital. For more information, call 207-739-2890 or visit www.bluemoonmidwives.com

REACH

Rape Education and Crisis Hotline 1-800-671-7741. Sexual assault, sexual abuse hotline, same number. Support groups and awareness education, past or present victims of abuse.

VETERANS' SERVICES (STATE/VA BENEFITS)

Maine Veterans Home, S. Paris, first and third Wednesday each month, 9-12 noon (743-6300); Rumford Employ. Sec. Bldg. (364-3718), second and fourth Thursday 9-12 noon; Lewiston (795-4390), 29 Westminster St., 7:30am to 4pm, Monday thru Friday. Location: Monday-Sunday School 2:45-4:15pm. Tel. 392-4841.

Church Services

ALBANY

Congregational Church - Hunts Corner, 9:30 a.m. Sunday worship and Sunday School at 9 a.m.; Pastor Eddie Gammon. Bible Study 6:30 Thursdays at the home of Fernand Corriveau.

ANDOVER

First Congregational Church Rev. Jane Rich. Sunday morning worship 10 a.m. followed by coffee fellowship. All are welcome. FMI: 392-3761.
Calvary Bible Church - Pastor Ken Wagstaff. Morning worship 9:30am with a Fellowship Brunch following. Wednesday bible study and prayer meeting 6:30 p.m. Rt. 5, S. Andover. 392-1121.

BETHEL

Bethel Alliance Church- Pastor Kevin Bellinger 624-2239. Sundays: Sunday school for adults and children at 9am. Morning worship service at 10am. Kidz Klub (4 yrs-5th grade) and Youth Group (6th-12th grade) at 5:30pm. Prayer fellowship Wednesdays at 7pm.
Church of the Nazarene - Pastor Chuck Mason, 9:30 a.m. Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. morning worship. Wednesday evening service in different locations. Call for info: 824-4020 (voice mail) or 824-7289 FMI

West Parish Congregational - Rev. Virginia Rickman 10 a.m. worship, child care available. Prayer, Tuesday, 9 a.m. FMI call 824-6550
Our Lady of the Snows- Effective June 3 Saturday mass will be at 6pm. Rev. Angelo Lexasaur, 364-4556
United Methodist - Geoffrey Gries, Pastor 10 a.m. Sunday worship. Sunday School 10 a.m.

West Bethel Union - 10 a.m. worship and 9 a.m. Sunday School. For information, call 665-4556 or 665-2262. Rev. Laith Bell
Pleasant Valley Bible - Pastor Aaron McNally 9 a.m. Sunday school, 10 a.m. worship. Awana Clubs. FMI 836-3006 or 824-2037.
Episcopal House Church - Holy communion service the third or fourth Sunday of every month at 4 p.m. at 38 Chapman Street. For further information, call the Reverend Gwyneth Bohr at 824-2913.

Church of Christ - at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's Mills Road (Route 26), Bethel. Worship at 9 a.m. Sunday. 824-3577 FMI.
Seventh Day Adventist Fellowship: Meets at the Nazarene Church on Saturdays, on Church Street in Bethel. For more info, call 824-8939.

EAST STONEHAM

Oxford County United Parish - North Waterford Congregational Church & Stoneham Congregational Church - Sunday worship 10 a.m. at Stoneham Church, Main St. Rt. 5, Stoneham. Adult Sunday School 9:30am. Rev. George Froberg, 693-6461.
Gorham, NH
Assembly of God - Pastor Paul Levisen. Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday service 10:30 a.m., Sunday evening service 7 p.m., Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m. FMI 693-466-2651.

First Baptist Church of Paris - On the Common at the top of Paris Hill. 10:30 am worship service. Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Coffee hour follows the service. Fellowship

Gorham Congregational Church - Interim minister Rev. Kent Schneider. Sunday morning worship and church school at 10:30am. Communion is celebrated the first Sunday of each month. FMI 693-466-2136.

HARRISON

Bolster's Mills United Methodist Church - Bolster's Mills Road, Harrison. Maine. Rev. Walter R. Brown, Pastor. Sunday worship at 8:45 a.m. Church school 10:15 a.m. for kids kindergarten - grade 12. Call 593-9024 or 938-7040 for more info

LOCKE MILLS

Locke Mills Union - Rev. Frank Haines. Sunday morning service will begin at 9 a.m. Bible study at the church is every Tuesday at 6:30pm. Everyone is welcome.

MEXICO

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints- 265 Main Street. Worship service Sundays at 10am. Pres. Peter Beeckel. 364-5381.

NEWRY

Newry Community Church - Sunday worship service 9 a.m. Rodney H. Hanscom, pastor. (Services in the church will resume in April).

Sunday River Christian Ministry - On mountain interdenominational worship service every Sunday from Christmas Eve to Easter at 10:30 a.m. The service is held in the Upper Room of the River House which is the green building just beyond South Ridge Lodge. Use the stairs on the deck, come as you are, all ages welcome. (Special service for Fall Festival, Sunday, Oct. 8, 10 a.m., free. Local lift 66 9:30-9:45 am.)

NORWAY/PARIS

First Church of Christ, Scientist - Sunday service 10 a.m., Wed. Testimony service 7:30 p.m. 5 Morrill Rd Rt. 118 (corner to Norway Country Club), Norway. Call 824-4099 FMI or ride.

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church - Route 117N, S. Paris. Pastor Henry Male. Sunday morning service 10:15 a.m. with coffee fellowship immediately after. Sunday School at 9 a.m.

North Paris Federation- Morse Hill Road, North Paris. Sunday Service 8 a.m., Pastor Bruce Tyner. 674-2968. Singspiration third Sunday each month alternating with West Parish Baptist Church at 7 p.m.

Oxford Hills Friends (Quakers) - Sunday worship 9:30 a.m. at HOPE Ripley Center, High Street, S. Paris across the park from the Post Office. Call Ursula Brandon at 665-2860 or Sue Reilly at 966-2012 for more information.

Christ Episcopal Church - 35 Paris St., Sunday service 8 and 10am; Church school and child care 10am. Healing service with communion 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday. Rev. Anne Stanley. Call 743-6782 for more information.

First Baptist Church of Paris - On the Common at the top of Paris Hill. 10:30 am worship service. Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Coffee hour follows the service. Fellowship

lunch held the first Sunday of each month following worship. Pastor Ron Blake.

St. Catherine's: Saturday 6 p.m. Vigil Mass; Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mass. Unitarian Universalist Church of Norway - 11am worship. (Sept - June) Child care is provided. Religious education classes 11am-12:15pm. FMI 743-2828.

OXFORD

St. Mary's - Saturday 4 p.m. Vigil Mass. Our Lady of Ransom: Sunday 10:30 a.m. Mass.

RUMFORD

St. Barnabus Episcopal Church - Holy Communion, 9:30 a.m. Rev. Merrill Bittner, Priest-in-charge. Special holidays will be announced. Stone church at the rotary.

RUMFORD CENTER

Praise Assembly of God - Pastor Justin Thacker. Adult and teen Sunday school 9am. Sunday worship service at 10am. Sunday prayer meeting at 6pm. Wednesday night bible study and youth group 7pm, 170 Andover Road. FMI call 364-3856 or see our website at http://www.forministry.com/usmeaogod-paogp

RUMFORD POINT

Rumford Point Church - Sunday service, Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Pastor Frank Haines.

SUMNER

East Sumner Congregational- Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday service, 9 a.m.

WEST PARIS

Unitarian Universalist Church of West Paris - 9 a.m. worship. 674-2365.

West Paris Baptist - Sunday Worship 9:15 a.m., Bruce Tyner, Pastor. Sunday School Preschool thru kindergarten 9:45am, Sunday School Grades 1-6, 10:25am. Sunday evening worship 7:00 p.m., Monday Discernette meeting first Monday of the month; Tuesday ladies fellowship meets the fourth Tuesday of every month. Tea & Toys Time Bi-Weekly 9:30-11:30am. Adult Choir Wednesday evenings, Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer 7pm, church business meetings the third Wednesday of the month.

West Paris Congregational Church - Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday Worship 11 a.m., Sunday School 10 a.m.

WOODSTOCK

Bryant Pond Baptist - Pastor Lawrence Hodgkins. Sundays: Sunday School 9:15 a.m.; Adult Bible Fellowship 9:15 a.m.; Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.; Evening Service 6:00 p.m.; Wednesdays: Kid's hour 6:30 p.m.; Prayer meeting & bible study 6:30 p.m.

Woodstock - Seventh day Adventist - Pastor Richard Wright (207-797-9678). Saturday, 9:30 a.m. Sabbath school. 11 a.m. worship service.

Pinkhook Meeting House (Rt. 232, North Woodstock). Hymn Sing, last Friday of each month, 7 p.m. All welcome.

Mahosuc Mountain Friends - a worship group meeting in the unprogrammed tradition of Friends (Quakers) - Sundays, 9:30 a.m. at the Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond. Newcomers welcome. First Day School activities provided for children. Call Arla Patch 665-2224 FMI.

Library Hours

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1-4:30pm; Thursday 6-8pm. Tel. 392-3341

Bethel Library: Monday 9am-1pm; Tuesday, 1-5pm; Wednesday 1-8pm; Thursday & Friday 1-5pm; Saturday, 9-1pm. Story Hour Mondays, 10-11am October to May. Michelle Conroy, Librarian. 824-2520.

Crescent Park Elementary School: Open every Wednesday evening from 6:30pm to the public.

Hanlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill: Tuesday-Friday 11:30-5:30; Saturday 10-2; Wednesday evening 7-9pm. Tel. 743-2960

Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 665-2505. Tuesday 1:30-5pm; Thursday 1:30-7pm.

West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 1:30-5pm; Wednesday 1:30-7pm; Friday 1:30-5pm. 674-2004

Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover: Wednesday, 10-12.

Upton Library: Saturdays 9-11am

Items for the Community Calendar may be brought to The Bethel Citizen Office, mailed in or phoned in at 824-2444. The Deadline is Monday at Noon

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CABLE LINE-UP

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THURSDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 28, 2006

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil		Jeopardy!	News	Frasier	Frasier	South Park	South Park	
(32) 7th Heaven		Movie: "Chasing Liberty"					Whose?	The 700 Club		
6 207 Mag	Inside	Name Earl	The Office	Deal or No Deal		ER		News		
8 Fortune	Jeopardy!	Ugly Betty		Grey's Anatomy	Six Degrees			News		
10 News-Lehrer		Hometown Economics	Peter Gabriel	Austin City Limits	Charlie Rose					
(22) SportsCenter	College Football: Auburn at South Carolina							SportsCenter		
(34) CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		UFC Unleashed		The Ultimate Fighter		TNA IMPACT!		
13 Entertain	The Insider	Survivor: Cook Islands	CSI: Crime Scn	Shark				News		
(41) Sports	Four Downs	Poker Superstars	Best Damn Sports Show	Sports	Sports	Best Damn Sports Show				
(15) Movie: "Twister" Cont'd		Inside the NFL	Wait Til Next Year	Real Sports		Shock Video				
(17) Phil	So Raven	Movie: "Angels in the Outfield"		Life Derek	Phil	Suite Life		So Raven		
(18) "Moving Violations"		Movie: "Home Alone 2: Lost in New York"		Movie: "The Ice Harvest"		Emmanuel				
(20) Bruins Classics		Bruins Classics	Outdoors	Outdoors	SportsDesk	Red Sox	SportsDesk	SportsDesk		
(44) Movie: "Second Honeymoon"			Movie: "Honeymoon With Mom"			Will-Grace	Will-Grace			
(5) Raymond	MLB Baseball: New York Mets at Atlanta Braves					Movie: "Demolition Man"				
(24) OddParents	Neutron	SpongeBob	Phantom	Full House	Fresh Pr.	Cosby	Diff Wld	Roseanne	Roseanne	
(25) Movie: "Hoodlum" Cont'd		Movie: "Jaws"				Movie: "Jaws 2"				
(26) Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU		Law Order: CI		Law Order: CI				
(27) Crossing Jordan		CSI: Miami		The First 48	Dallas SWAT	Dog: The Family Speaks				
(12) Funniest Home Videos		Movie: "In the Line of Duty: Blaze of Glory"		WGN News at Nine	Sex & City	Scrubs				
(39) The Situation Room		Paula Zahn Now	Larry King Live	Anderson Cooper 360						

FRIDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 29, 2006

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil		Jeopardy!	News	Frasier	Frasier	South Park	South Park	
(32) Ugly Betty		Whose?	Whose?	Whose?	Whose?	Whose?	Whose?	The 700 Club		
6 207 Mag	Inside	Deal or No Deal		Dateline NBC		Law & Order		News		
8 Fortune	Jeopardy!	Grey's Anatomy		Men in Trees	20/20			News		
10 News-Lehrer		Wash Wk	McLaughlin	NOW	Keeping Up	Time Goes	Wait God	My Family	MontyPyth	
(22) MLB Baseball: Teams to Be Announced						MLB Hometown Heroes		SportsCenter		
(34) CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		Boston PD		Boston PD		
13 Entertain	The Insider	Ghost Whisperer		Close to Home	NUMB3RS			News		
(41) Tailgate	Four Downs	Football Prev.		Best Damn Sports Show	Sports	Sports		Football Prev.		
(15) Inside the NFL		The Wire		The Wire		Real Time				
(17) Montana	So Raven	Montana	Suite Life	Movie: "The Luck of the Irish"		Suite Life		So Raven		
(18) "The Perfect Man"		Movie: "The Dukes of Hazzard"			Movie: "The Transporter 2"			Hotel Ertc		
(20) MLB Baseball: Baltimore Orioles at Boston Red Sox					Innings	Extra Inn	SportsDesk	SportsDesk		
(44) Movie: "Too Young to Be a Dad"				Movie: "Gracie's Choice"			Will-Grace	Will-Grace		
(5) Raymond	Raymond	Friends	Friends	Movie: "Ella Enchanted"				Movie: "Fools Rush In"		
(24) SpongeBob	SpongeBob	Avalar	Mr. Meaty	Calscratch	The X's	Full House	Fresh Pr.	Roseanne	Roseanne	
(25) Movie: "Jaws 2" Cont'd		Movie: "The Day the Earth Stood Still"			Movie: "Polltagel III"					
(26) Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU		Monk		Monk		House		
(27) CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		MI-5				
(12) Funniest Home Videos		Movie: "In the Line of Duty: Ambush in Waco"		WGN News at Nine	Sex & City	Scrubs				
(39) The Situation Room		Paula Zahn Now	Larry King Live	Anderson Cooper 360						

SATURDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 30, 2006

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "Rambo: First Blood Part II"				Frasier	Frasier	Without a Trace		
(32) "Dirty Dancing" Cont'd		Movie: "Dirty Dancing"				Movie: "Dirty Dancing: Havana Nights"				
6 Maine	Paid Prog.	Dateline NBC		Kidnapped		Kidnapped		News	Sat. Night	
8 Fortune	Preview	College Football: Ohio State at Iowa						Post Game	News	
10 Children and Asthma		Yoga Unveiled				Heart of Pilates	Red Green	Red Green		
(22) Scoreboard		College Football: Michigan at Minnesota						SportsCenter		
(34) Movie: "GoodFellas"						The Ultimate Fighter		TNA IMPACT!		
13 Entertainment Tonight	The Class	The Class	CSI: Crime Scn			48 Hours Mystery		News	Ent. Tonight	
(41) The Ride	MLS Soccer	Rapids at Revolution		Football		College Football: Stanford at UCLA				
(15) Anchorman		Movie: "War of the Worlds"				George Carlin		The Wire		
(17) Montana	So Raven	Replace	Dragon	Movie: "Homeward Bound: The Incredible Journey"		Suite Life		So Raven		
(18) Animal House		Movie: "New Jack City"		MAX on Set	Movie: "Domino"					
(20) Bruins Classics		Red Sox Classics				SportsDesk	Bruins	Sports	Outdoors	
(44) Movie: "Absolution"				Movie: "Beauty"				Desperate Housewives		
(5) College Football: USC at Washington State								Movie: "Exit Wounds"		
(24) SpongeBob	Play	Drake & Josh			Drake	Full House	Fresh Pr.	Roseanne	Roseanne	
(25) "To Hell and Back"		Movie: "Total! Total! Total!"						"A Bridge Too Far"		
(26) "Jeepers Creepers 2"		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law Order: CI		
(27) The BTK Killer Speaks		Cold Case Files		Cold Case Files		The First 48		American Justice		
(12) Funniest Home Videos		Movie: "In the Line of Duty: Hunt for Justice"		WGN News at Nine	Sex & City	Scrubs				
(39) This Week at War		CNN Presents		Larry King Live		CNN Saturday Night		CNN Presents		

SUNDAY EVENING OCTOBER 1, 2006

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fifth Quarter		CSI: Miami			Stone Undercover		Red Sox	Red Sox	Without a Trace	
(32) Movie: "Grease"						Movie: "Grease 2"				
6 Football Night in America		NFL Football: Seattle Seahawks at Chicago Bears							News	
8 Funniest Home Videos		Makeover: Home		Desperate Housewives	Brothers & Sisters			News	Smallville	
10 Hometown Economics		Nature		Mystery!			Short List	Charlie Rose		
(22) SportsCenter		Baseball Tonight						SportsCenter		
(34) CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scene		CSI: NY		
13 60 Minutes		The Amazing Race 10		Cold Case		Without a Trace		News	The Insider	
(41) Beyond the Glory		Poker Superstars		In Focus	Final Score	Sports List	Track	Poker Dome Challenge		
(15) Balman	Movie: "Walk the Line"					The Wire		Comedy	Wedding	
(17) Montana	So Raven	Movie: "Halloween Town"				Phil	Naturally	Suite Life	So Raven	
(18) "The Wedding Date"		Movie: "Flight of the Phoenix"				Movie: "Billy Madison"			Dangerous	
(20) Port O' Call	Northeast	Outdoors		Bruins Classics		SportsDesk	Red Sox	SportsDesk	Red Sox	
(44) "Deadly Encounter"		Movie: "Thrill of the Kill"				Angela's Eyes		Medium		
(5) Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	
(24) Drake	School	Zoey 101	News	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Prince of Bel-Air		
(25) "The Undeclared" Cont'd		Movie: "Pale Rider"						Movie: "High Plains Drifter"		
(26) Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		
(27) Flip This House		Flip This House		The First 48		Intervention		Intervention		
(12) Even	Lizzie	American Idol Rewind		Maximum Exposure		WGN News	Replay	Sex & City	Scrubs	
(39) CNN Live Sunday		CNN Presents		Larry King Live		CNN Sunday Night		CNN Presents		

MONDAY EVENING OCTOBER 2, 2006

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil		Jeopardy!	News	Frasier	Frasier	South Park	South Park	
(32) Gilmore Girls		Movie: "The Beverly Hillsbillies"				Whose?	Whose?	The 700 Club		
6 207 Mag	Inside	Deal or No Deal		Heroes		Studio 60-Sunset Strip		News		
8 Fortune	Jeopardy!	Wife Swap		The Bachelor: Rome				News		
10 News-Lehrer		Antiques Roadshow		American Experience				Charlie Rose		
(22) Monday Night Countdown				NFL Football: Green Bay Packers at Philadelphia Eagles				SportsCenter		
(34) CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		UFC Octagon Girl Search		The Ultimate Fighter		
13 Entertain	The Insider	The Class	How I Met	Two Men	Christina	CSI: Miami		News		
(41) Sports	Sports List	Best Damn IFL Superfight Special				Sports	Sports	IFL Superfight Special		
(15) Movie: "Red Eye" Cont'd		Real Time		Movie: "North Country"				Wait Til Next Year		
(17) Phil	So Raven	Halloween Town II: Kalabar's Revenge		Dragon		Life Derek	Phil	Suite Life	So Raven	
(18) "The Second Arrival"		Movie: "Domino"				Movie: "U.S. Marshals"				
(20) Red Sox in Two				Big Papi's	The Remy's	SportsDesk	Red Sox	SportsDesk	Outdoors	
(44) Movie: "Rush of Fear"				Movie: "End Game"				Will-Grace	Will-Grace	
(5) Raymond	Raymond	Friends	Friends	Friends	Family Guy	Family Guy	Seinfeld	Seinfeld		
(24) OddParents	Neutron	SpongeBob	Phantom	Full House	Fresh Pr.	Designing	Designing	Designing	Designing	
(25) "Pale Rider" Cont'd		Movie: "Scarface"						White Htr.		
(26) Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU		WWE Monday Night Raw				Heroes		
(27) Crossing Jordan		CSI: Miami		Driving	Driving	Simmons	Simmons	Gotti	Gotti	
(12) Funniest Home Videos		Funniest Home Videos		Funniest Home Videos		WGN News at Nine	Sex & City	Scrubs		
(39) The Situation Room		Paula Zahn Now	Larry King Live	Anderson Cooper 360						

TUESDAY EVENING OCTOBER 3, 2006

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil		Jeopardy!	News	Frasier	Frasier	South Park	South Park	
(32) Gilmore Girls		Movie: "The Cutting Edge 2: Going for the Gold"				Whose?	Whose?	The 700 Club		
6 207 Mag	Inside	Friday Night Lights		Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU		News		
8 Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dancing With the Stars		Help Me		Boston Legal		News		
10 News-Lehrer		Nova		Frontline		P.O.V.		Charlie Rose		
(22) SportsCenter		Tournament		Series of Poker		Series of Poker		SportsCenter		
(34) CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		Movie: "The Texas Chainsaw Massacre"				Real TV		
13 Entertain	The Insider	NCIS		The Unit		Smith		News		
(41) Sports	Football	Poker Superstars		Best Damn Sports Show		Sports	Sports	Best Damn Sports Show		
(15) "Ocean's Twelve" Cont'd		Real Sports		Movie: "Walk the Line"				Comedy		
(17) Phil	So Raven	Movie: "Halloween Town High"			Suite Life	Life Derek	Phil	Suite Life	So Raven	
(18) "Hard Target" Cont'd		Movie: "The Wash"				Movie: "A Sound of Thunder"				
(20) Big Papi's	The Remy's	Legends of Golf: Nicklaus vs. Watson				SportsDesk	Bruins	SportsDesk	Big Papi's	
(44) Movie: "Road Rage"				Movie: "Pavement"				Will-Grace	Will-Grace	
(5) Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Sex & City	Sex & City	Friends	Friends	Raymond		
(24) OddParents	Neutron	SpongeBob	Phantom	Full House	Fresh Pr.	Designing	Designing	Designing	Designing	
(25) "Romancing the Stone"		Movie: "Private Benjamin"				Movie: "Down and Out in Beverly Hills"				
(26) Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU		Movie: "Meet the Parents"				Studio 60-Sunset Strip		
(27) Crossing Jordan		CSI: Miami		Dog	Dog	Inked	Inked	To Be Announced		
(12) Funniest Home Videos		Funniest Home Videos		TBA	TBA	WGN News at Nine	Sex & City	Scrubs		
(39) The Situation Room		Paula Zahn Now	Larry King Live	Anderson Cooper 360						

WEDNESDAY EVENING OCTOBER 4, 2006

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil		Jeopardy!	News	Frasier	Frasier	South Park	South Park
(32)	Gilmore Girls		Movie: 'The Breakfast Club'				Whose?	Whose?	The 700 Club	
6	207 Mag	Inside	Friday Night Lights		The Biggest Loser		Kidnapped		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dancing With the Stars		Lost		The Nine		News	
10	News-Lehrer		Secrets of the Dead		Moyers on America				Charlie Rose	
(22)	MLB Baseball: Division Series -- Teams TBA						MLB Baseball: Division Series -- Teams TBA			
(34)	CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		Movie: 'The Shining'					
13	Entertain	The Insider	Jencho		Criminal Minds		CSI: NY		News	
(41)	Sports	Football	Rodeo N'M State Fair		Best Damn Sports Show		Sports	Sports	Best Damn Sports Show	
(15)	Sisterhood-Trav		Movie: 'Mushy' Law			Flags	Inside the NFL		Real Time	
(17)	Phil	So Raven	Movie: 'Focus Focus'				Life Derek	Phil	Suite Life	So Raven
(18)	'Out for Justice' Cont'd		Movie: 'Phantom of the Opera'				Movie: 'Dumpling'			
(20)	Outdoors	Outdoors	Outdoors	Outdoors	Bruno	Big Papi's	SportsDesk	The Remmys	SportsDesk	SportsPlus
(44)	Movie: 'The Unsaid'				Movie: 'Hush'				Will-Grace	Will-Grace
(5)	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Sex & City	Sex & City	Seinfeld	
(24)	OddParents	Neutron	SpongeBob	Phantom	Fair House	Fresh Pr.	Designing	Designing	Designing	Designing
(25)	'Private Benjamin'		Movie: 'Sleeping With the Enemy'				Haste		Sleeping With the Enemy	
(26)	Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Knight Rider	
(27)	Crossing Jordan		CSI: Miami		Dog	Dog	TBA	Cross Angel	Cross Angel	Cross Angel
(12)	Funnies Home Videos		Home Imp	Home Imp	Becker	Becker	WGN News at Nine		Sex & City	Sinbad
(39)	The Situation Room		Paula Zahn Now		Long King Live		Anderson Cooper 360			

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tism in virtually every American who witnesses them. The Greenwells, Jeri and Gerry, provided the video and briefed that Herman Wright, a former commander of the Maine Department of the American Legion, is attempting to generate enough donations to this project to purchase an American flag to represent every Legion member in the state of Maine, some 26,000 strong. Following the Fields of Flags discussions, the Auxiliary and Legion members separated to conduct their separate meetings.

On the following Tuesday evening, Sept. 19, the Fifth District of the Maine American Legion (formerly the Oxford

County Council) met at the Mundt-Allen Post on Vernon Street. The Fifth District is made up of Legion members from Oxford County Legion posts, and the District officers (and any other interested Legionnaires) meet at a different post in the county throughout the year. The meeting at Bethel attracted guests, including Gene Bickford, who is a past Maine Department Commander and is now a National Executive Committeeman for the national organization, as well as the two Maine state vice commanders. Bethel post's own Gerry Greenwell is commander of the Fifth District for this year. At

the same time, the Oxford County Council of the Legion Auxiliary also met at the Bethel post.

(The Auxiliary has not converted to the same district system that the Legion in Maine did.)

From the
**Bethel
Conservation
Commission**

Dave DeGruttola and Jim Thornton, members of the Bethel Conservation Commission, were present at the Harvest Fest on Sept. 16

to announce the winners of the Commission's first photo contest.

The purpose of the contest was to encourage people to take a closer look at the beauty of nature right here in our own backyards.

The guidelines were simple: the photos had to have been taken within the boundaries of Bethel, they had to depict the untamed natural world of flora, fauna or landscapes, and they could be no larger than 9" by 12".

The winners were as follows:

Fauna category: 1st place, - Joe Arizzi.
Flora category: 1st place - Wende Gray; 2nd place, -

Gregg Klatsky
Landscape category: 1st place - Rosabelle Tift; 2nd place - Ellen Marshall; 3rd place - Charlotte Bennett.

The Commission plans to make this an annual event. We will begin accepting entries in mid-August of 2007 and winners will be announced at the 2007 Harvest Fest. Photos may be taken throughout the year. We will have the same broad categories, and photos must be taken within the town boundaries of Bethel. Any amateur photographer may enter one of the three age classes: Junior - K through 6th grade, Intermediate - 7th through 12th grade, and adult: 18 years and up.

From
**Oxford County
Democrats**

Maine Attorney General Steve Rowe will present informational sessions on Identity Theft Oct. 4 at 1 p.m. at Fare Share Commons in Norway, and at 4 p.m. at the Rumford Library Meeting Room. He will explain what identity theft is, how it can be prevented and what to do if it occurs.

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WANTED

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Bethel Board of Selectmen are accepting applications for a School Board Director for SAD#44 for a one year term. The Board is also accepting applications for the Channel II Local Access board.

Applications for both positions must be submitted to the Town Office by noon, Friday, October 13, 2006

Interested persons may call the Town Office at 824-2469 for further information or email info@bethelmaine.org

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Board of Selectmen is seeking FIVE individuals to serve on an ad-hoc committee to study the feasibility of consolidating the Water and Sewer Utilities of the Town. Applications for this ad-hoc committee must be submitted to the Town Office by noon, Friday, October 13, 2006.

Interested persons may call the Town Office at 824-2669 for further information or email info@bethelmaine.org

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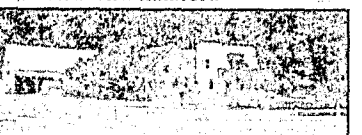


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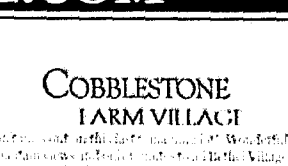
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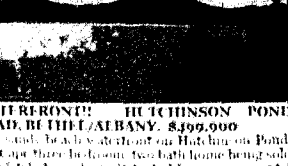
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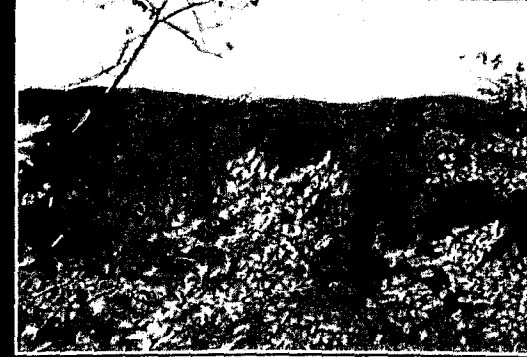
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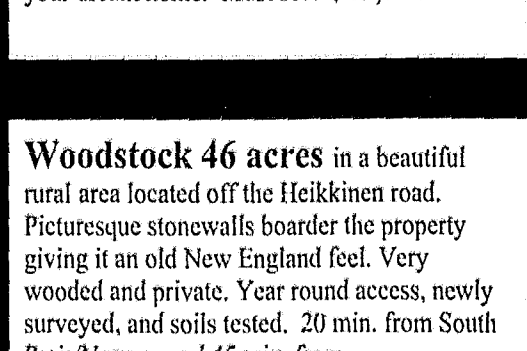
Andover area/Rumford 84 acres
located on Bear lane. Remote with beautiful mountain views and several brooks. A great place to hunt, ATV and snowmobile. Direct access to the ITS 82, hop on and go! Recreation abounds with Grafton Notch State Park within 30 minutes drive. Surveyed and soils tested \$89,900



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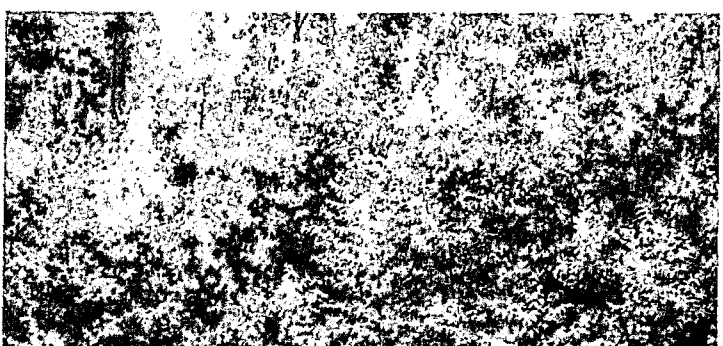
Coombs Village, Newry: Located less than one mile from Sunday River's trails, this contemporary home nestled in the pines features quality handcrafted woodworking throughout. With three bedrooms and three baths, the home boasts more than 1,600 square feet of living space and features a stone fireplace and farmer's porch. **\$429,900**



6 Mill Hill Road, Hanover: Located near beautiful Howard Pond and the Androscoggin boat launch, and just 10 minutes from Sunday River, this cottage home is perfect for your recreational pursuits. This lovely home is tastefully renovated with refinished hardwood flooring, new bathroom, new kitchen, and Victorian-detailed porch and well-landscaped gardens. Only **\$149,900**



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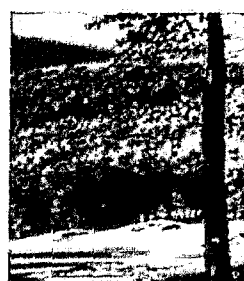


Powder Ridge Lot 92, Newry: This beautiful 1.13 +/- acre lot with scenic views is located in the exclusive Powder Ridge neighborhood just minutes from Sunday River's world class skiing and golf. This is the perfect location for your year-round primary or vacation home. **\$92,000**



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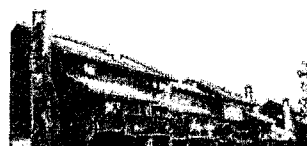


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II A-203 Studio/1 Bth	\$87,900
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II B-115 1 Bdm/1 Bth	\$125,000
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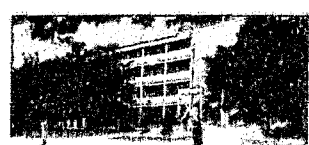
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F-5 2 BR/1.5 Bth	\$275,000
B-6 3 Bdm/1.5 Bth	SOLD
B-4 1 Bdm/1 Bth	SOLD
F-6 3 Bdm/1.5 Bth	SOLD
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A-401 1 Bdm/1 Bth	\$149,900
B-214 1 Bdm/1 Bth	\$149,900
B-218 1 Bdm/1 Bth	SOLD
B-405 1 Bdm/1 Bth	SOLD
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Cascades

B-16 Studio/1 Bth	\$95,000
B-15 Studio/1 Bth	\$96,000
A-24 1 Bdm/1 Bth	SOLD
B-25 1 Bdm/1 Bth	SOLD
C-11 1 Bdm/1 Bth	SOLD



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A-8 3 Bdm/3.5 Bth	\$490,000
A-3 2 Bdm/1.75 Bth	\$525,000
C-1 3 Bdm/3.75 Bth	SOLD
A-2 3 Bdm/3.5 Bth	SOLD
I-1	SOLD



North Peak

NPI-208 2 Bdm/1 Bth	\$189,000
NPII-207 2 Bdm/1 Bth	PENDING
NPII-109 2 Bdm/1 Bth	SOLD
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Fall Line

W-214 1 BR 1 Bth	\$145,000
W-112 1 BR 1 Bth	SOLD
E-106 1 Bdm 1 Bth	SOLD
S-209 1 Bdm 1 Bth	SOLD
N-105 1 Bdm 1 Bth	SOLD
N-104 1 Bdm 1 Bth	SOLD



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C-104 1 Bdm 1 Bth	PENDING
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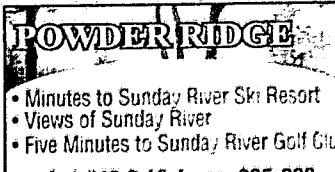


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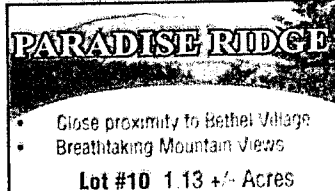
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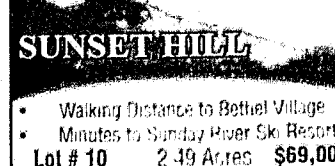
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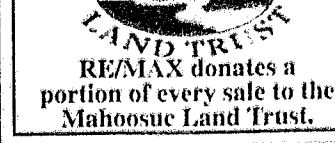
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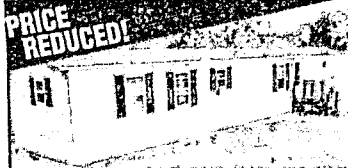
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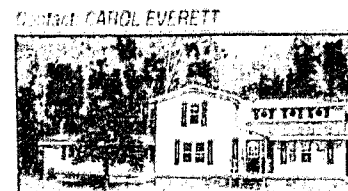
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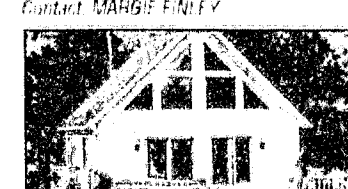
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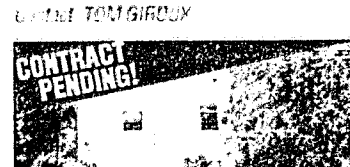
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• Great Location, Hardwood Floors
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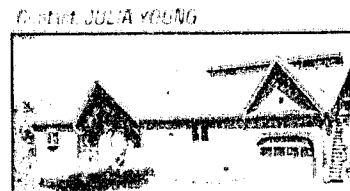
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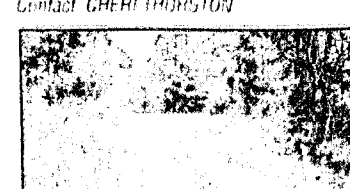
13 MAIN ST, CANTON \$110,000
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• Corner of Canton in Change
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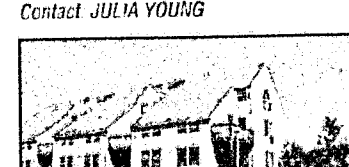
326 PARADISE ROAD, BETHEL \$395,000
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• Superior Custom Construction
• Hybrid Timber Frame Home
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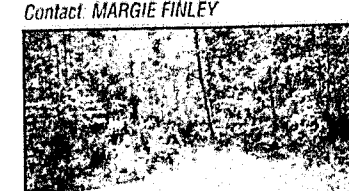
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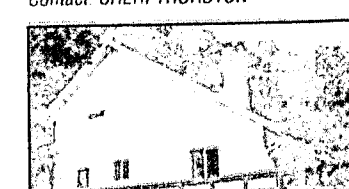
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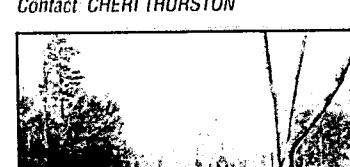
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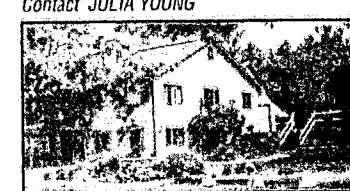
83 BAILEY RD., BETHEL \$225,000
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• 2 Large Bedrooms, 1 Bath
• Large Family Room with
• Walk Out Placement w/ Sliders
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• Close to Bethel Village
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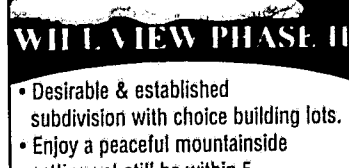
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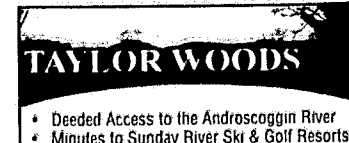
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• Attached 4 Car Heated Garage/Workshop
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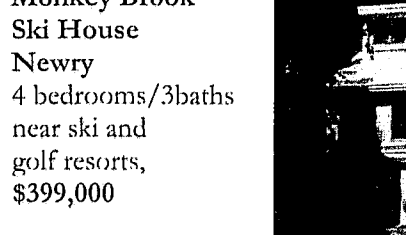


Will View—Bethel
3 bedrooms/3 baths,
2-car garage, fireplace,
open floor plan, near skiing
and golf \$425,000

UNDER CONTRACT



Birchwood—Bethel
similar to be built,
4 bedrooms/3 baths,
cathedral ceilings,
fireplace, 2 car garage
\$449,000



Monkey Brook Ski House
Newry
4 bedrooms/3baths
near ski and
golf resorts,
\$399,000

LAND

WOODSTOCK- 3.5-acre lot on Rt.26, wooded, very pretty, near skiing, lakes, and popular fresh-water spring. \$39,900

Birchwoods—Bethel, Lot 27
2-acre building lot in desirable subdivision with protective covenants, stonewalls, future plan to pave road, great location, close to skiing, golf, and town. \$94,900

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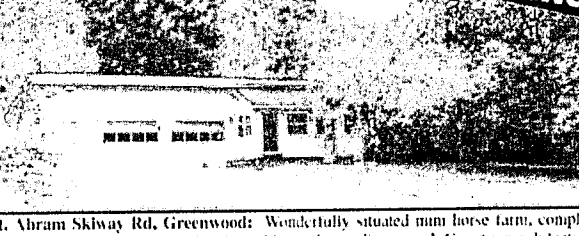
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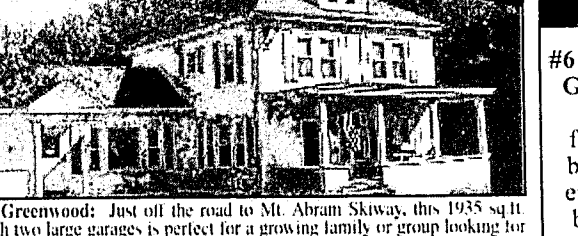
Mt. Abram Skitway Rd, Greenwood: Wonderful situated on horse farm, complete with a 5 stall barn, fenced paddocks and 10 outdoor riding arena. Country ranch features BR's, maple wood floors, brick fireplace in living room, brick hearth in dining room, granite counter tops, stainless steel appliances, and a full kitchen. 2 car garage, 3 season room, and much more! Saddle up the horses for riding on the 2.3 acres or snowmobile & cross-country skiing from the door! Downhill skiing at Mt. Abram is within walking distance and lakes for boating are just down the road. This house has it all! \$199,000

NEW LISTING!



Vernon St, Bethel: Bright, sunny, sparkling new home built with high-end materials for low maintenance. Looking for a relaxing second home or primary location? This 3BR, 2 bath beauty is second to none! Very little upkeep. Wrap-around porch, architectural windows, cathedral ceilings, crown molding, kitchen w/ island, bedroom balcony, 1st floor laundry, beautiful hardwood & tile floors throughout, paved driveway & much, much more. Just a two-minute drive to downtown Bethel and close to skiing, golf, hiking, snowmobiling & all local recreation and amenities. See all the photos on our website & come take a look! \$239,000

NEW LISTING!



Bell Lane, Greenwood: Just off the road to Mt. Abram Skitway, this 1935 sq ft colonial with two large garages is perfect for a growing family or group looking for space. Wonderful hardwood floors, separate dining room w/ built-in china cabinet, brick fireplace in living room, brick hearth in family room, 2nd floor laundry & much more. All new replacement windows, beautiful large back yard, new deck off kitchen, laundry room, master bedroom suite with walk-in closet, and tons of storage space. Garage space for 4 vehicles plus your ATV and boat! Snowmobile right from the door & view the Mt. Abram at night. Nice, private lot. \$245,000

LAND

#6 STONEYFIELDS SUBDIVISION, GREENWOOD: If a beautiful view is what you're looking for, look no further! This brand new subdivision boasts spectacular views of the western mountains. Open, level 1.62 acre building lot with a location close to Mt. Abram Ski Area. Last lot left! \$68,000

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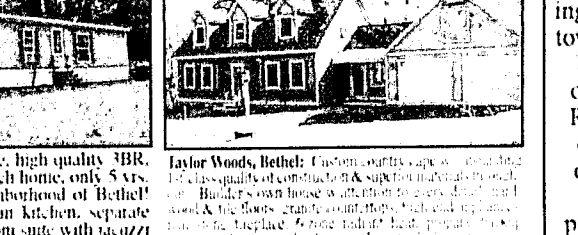
Schoonover Rd, Greenwood: Historic, 1890s farmhouse, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, wood floors, and a full kitchen. 2 car garage, 3 season room, and much more! Saddle up the horses for riding on the 2.3 acres or snowmobile & cross-country skiing from the door! Downhill skiing at Mt. Abram is within walking distance and lakes for boating are just down the road. This house has it all! \$199,000

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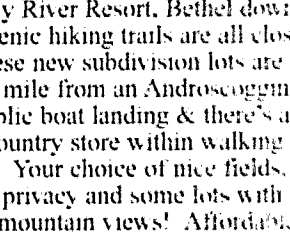
Concord Pond, Woodstock: Perfect vacation & weekend getaway or second home. Very nice WILDERNESS camp with sandy beach, flat lawn area & beautiful view. Wonderful kitchen, pine interior w/ large brick fireplace, hardwood floors, beautiful landscaping, and much more! Saddle up the horses for riding on the 2.3 acres or snowmobile & cross-country skiing from the door! Downhill skiing at Mt. Abram is within walking distance and lakes for boating are just down the road. This house has it all! \$175,000

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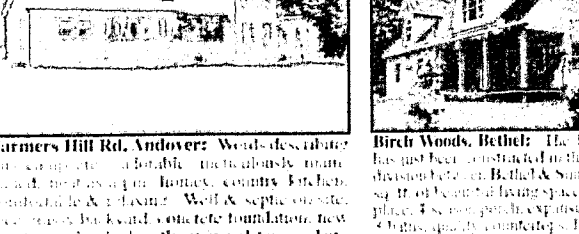
Lake Christopher, Bryant Pond: Stunning property with a beautiful view of Lake Christopher. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, wood floors, and a full kitchen. 2 car garage, 3 season room, and much more! Saddle up the horses for riding on the 2.3 acres or snowmobile & cross-country skiing from the door! Downhill skiing at Mt. Abram is within walking distance and lakes for boating are just down the road. This house has it all! \$239,000

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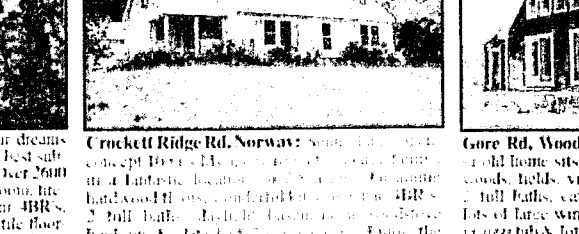
Paradise Rd, Bethel: Nice, high quality 3BR, 2 full bath double wide ranch home, only 5 yrs. young, in a preferred neighborhood of Bethel. Spacious interior, granite counter tops, stainless steel appliances, and a full kitchen. 2 car garage, 3 season room, and much more! Saddle up the horses for riding on the 2.3 acres or snowmobile & cross-country skiing from the door! Downhill skiing at Mt. Abram is within walking distance and lakes for boating are just down the road. This house has it all! \$137,900

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Farmers Hill Rd, Andover: Wonderful situated on horse farm, complete with a 5 stall barn, fenced paddocks and 10 outdoor riding arena. Country ranch features BR's, maple wood floors, brick fireplace in living room, brick hearth in dining room, granite counter tops, stainless steel appliances, and a full kitchen. 2 car garage, 3 season room, and much more! Saddle up the horses for riding on the 2.3 acres or snowmobile & cross-country skiing from the door! Downhill skiing at Mt. Abram is within walking distance and lakes for boating are just down the road. This house has it all! \$199,000

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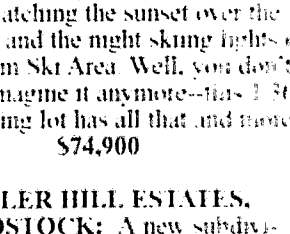
Birch Woods, Bethel: The house of your dreams! 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, wood floors, and a full kitchen. 2 car garage, 3 season room, and much more! Saddle up the horses for riding on the 2.3 acres or snowmobile & cross-country skiing from the door! Downhill skiing at Mt. Abram is within walking distance and lakes for boating are just down the road. This house has it all! \$239,000

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Crockett Ridge Rd, Norway: Wonderful situated on horse farm, complete with a 5 stall barn, fenced paddocks and 10 outdoor riding arena. Country ranch features BR's, maple wood floors, brick fireplace in living room, brick hearth in dining room, granite counter tops, stainless steel appliances, and a full kitchen. 2 car garage, 3 season room, and much more! Saddle up the horses for riding on the 2.3 acres or snowmobile & cross-country skiing from the door! Downhill skiing at Mt. Abram is within walking distance and lakes for boating are just down the road. This house has it all! \$239,000

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Gore Rd, Woodstock: This small, 2 bedroom, 1 bath home is perfect for a growing family or group looking for space. Wonderful hardwood floors, separate dining room w/ built-in china cabinet, brick fireplace in living room, brick hearth in family room, 2nd floor laundry & much more. All new replacement windows, beautiful large back yard, new deck off kitchen, laundry room, master bedroom suite with walk-in closet, and tons of storage space. Garage space for 4 vehicles plus your ATV and boat! Snowmobile right from the door & view the Mt. Abram at night. Nice, private lot. \$245,000

OUR LOG HOME LISTINGS FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION:

So. Main St, Andover: Nice, high quality 3BR, 2 full bath double wide ranch home, only 5 yrs. young, in a preferred neighborhood of Bethel. Spacious interior, granite counter tops, stainless steel appliances, and a full kitchen. 2 car garage, 3 season room, and much more! Saddle up the horses for riding on the 2.3 acres or snowmobile & cross-country skiing from the door! Downhill skiing at Mt. Abram is within walking distance and lakes for boating are just down the road. This house has it all! \$137,900

Countryside Acres, Bethel: 1.5-acre lot for a brand new log home. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, wood floors, and a full kitchen. 2 car garage, 3 season room, and much more! Saddle up the horses for riding on the 2.3 acres or snowmobile & cross-country skiing from the door! Downhill skiing at Mt. Abram is within walking distance and lakes for boating are just down the road. This house has it all! \$184,900

Back Woods, Bethel: Beautiful log home with a full kitchen, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, wood floors, and a full kitchen. 2 car garage, 3 season room, and much more! Saddle up the horses for riding on the 2.3 acres or snowmobile & cross-country skiing from the door! Downhill skiing at Mt. Abram is within walking distance and lakes for boating are just down the road. This house has it all! \$269,000

Hide-A-Way Hills, Bethel: Beautiful log home with a full kitchen, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, wood floors, and a full kitchen. 2 car garage, 3 season room, and much more! Saddle up the horses for riding on the 2.3 acres or snowmobile & cross-country skiing from the door! Downhill skiing at Mt. Abram is within walking distance and lakes for boating are just down the road. This house has it all! \$259,000

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Irish Neighborhood, Off Vernon St, Bethel: Beautiful log home with a full kitchen, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, wood floors, and a full kitchen. 2 car garage, 3 season room, and much more! Saddle up the horses for riding on the 2.3 acres or snowmobile & cross-country skiing from the door! Downhill skiing at Mt. Abram is within walking distance and lakes for boating are just down the road. This house has it all! \$225,000

Countryside Acres, Bethel: 1.5-acre lot for a brand new log home. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, wood floors, and a full kitchen. 2 car garage, 3 season room, and much more! Saddle up the horses for riding on the 2.3 acres or snowmobile & cross-country skiing from the door! Downhill skiing at Mt. Abram is within walking distance and lakes for boating are just down the road. This house has it all! \$184,900

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South Pond Shores, Greenwood: Imagine owning a brand new log chalet with DEER HILLS to a gorgeous 300' sandy beach on South Pond Lake! Winter skiing at Mount Abram or Sunday River Resort is only a few short miles away & snowmobile trails are right there, so get the best of all seasons in one beautiful new house. 3BR's, 2 baths, fireplace, sunny kitchen w/ bar, large deck, log railings & custom touches. Call & we'll take you to the lake! \$389,900

Countryside Acres, Bethel: This just completed log chalet with sun room over its open floor plan. 3BR's, 2 full baths, granite counter tops, stainless steel appliances, and a full kitchen. 2 car garage, 3 season room, and much more! Saddle up the horses for riding on the 2.3 acres or snowmobile & cross-country skiing from the door! Downhill skiing at Mt. Abram is within walking distance and lakes for boating are just down the road. This house has it all! \$234,900

Powder Ridge, Sunday River: New log added to level home offers a peaceful view from an abundance of windows to take in the great outdoors. Look up to the sootier to store your skis, place or relax, the large finished sun room to enjoy the view. This 3BR is a plus! 4 beds and plenty of room for everyone. Well-maintained, granite counter tops, stainless steel appliances, and a full kitchen. 2 car garage, 3 season room, and much more! Saddle up the horses for riding on the 2.3 acres or snowmobile & cross-country skiing from the door! Downhill skiing at Mt. Abram is within walking distance and lakes for boating are just down the road. This house has it all! \$419,000

Off East Bethel Rd, Bethel: With a finished basement, family room, gas fireplace, natural pine interior finish, a full kitchen, and a large deck overlooking the wooded backyard, this 3BR 2 bath log home should be your primary or vacation home! Nice corner lot in a small log home subdivision that's convenient to both ski areas. Lots of room for overnight guests & entertaining, and close enough to downtown Bethel to enjoy shopping and fine dining. \$279,000

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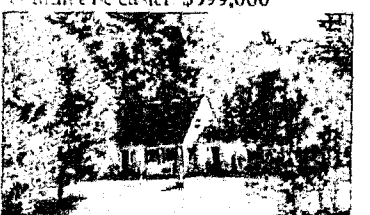
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 Charming home located within Bethel Village 4 BR, 1.5 BA, great porches including 3 season porch, near Gould Academy, walking distance to all village attractions and Mtn. Explorer \$239,000



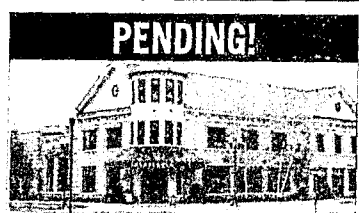
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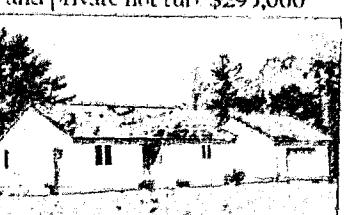
CASABLANCA CINEMA
 Premier location in Bethel. Property offered features four theaters. Also included is an additional 5600 sq. ft. of prime commercial leasing space. Great opportunity for investment property located in the heart of Ski/Golf community.



SUNDAY RIVER SKI HOUSE
 Great 3 bedroom 2 bath ski house, ride to the lifts and local amenities on the free shuttle in the winter, lots of storage, game room on lower level. Most furnishings included. \$269,000



PRIVATE BETHEL HOME
 Private 2+ bedroom home with large loft area ideal for additional sleeping or office space. Beautiful hardwood floors, woodstove, cathedral ceilings, tastefully landscaped, mountain views, large deck and private hot tub. \$295,000



NEAR HOWARD POND
 Great location near Howard Pond, ski resorts. Lovely well designed home offers spacious lawn areas, enclosed sunroom. Superb construction. \$279,900



HOWARD POND COTTAGE
 Spacious 4 BR cottage at the edge of Howard Pond, a pristine mountain lake. Gorgeous lake views, large fieldstone FP, expansion deck integrated with private dock. Very charming and only 15 minutes to Sunday River Ski Resort. \$539,000



PRIVATE CEDAR LOG HOME
 Well maintained cedar log home located at Chestnut Knoll. Beautiful stone fireplace, sun room, cathedral ceiling, extensively landscaped, very private setting. Oversized 2 car garage. \$435,000



BETHEL LOG CABIN
 Three bedroom 1 bath log cabin situated on a road just minutes from North Pond and Mt. Abram Ski Area. Set on approximately 3.25 private acres. \$159,000



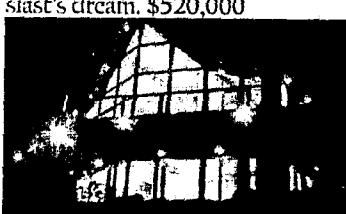
PARADISE COLONIAL
 Exceptional home with many amenities. 3 BR, 2.5 BA, custom kitchen. 3 car attached garage. Nicely landscaped w/ backyard deck. Master BR w/ walk in closet & BA w/ whirlpool. Town water & sewer. Walking distance to Bethel. \$425,000



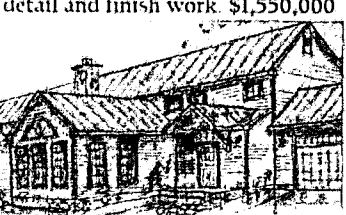
LAKE CHRISTOPHER
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AMAZING VIEWS
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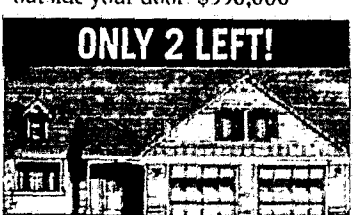
FOUR SEASONS CAMP
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EXCEPTIONAL WATERFRONT HOME
 Exceptional waterfront home on 2.6 acres. Open floor plan with center fireplace and hardwood floors. Only 2.8 miles to access road to Sunday River Ski Resort and Golf. Great kayaking, canoeing, fishing just outside your door. \$350,000



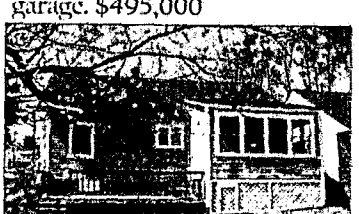
MOUNTAIN VISTA CONDOS
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BETHEL VILLAGE CAPE
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 1.41-2.91 ACRES
 \$65,900-\$89,900

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 2.25-5.5 ACRES
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 1.20-1.70 ACRES
 \$74,900-\$94,900

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6 LOTS AVAILABLE
 1.61-2.88 ACRES
 \$60,000-\$80,000

LAND

Western Mountain Views: 120 acres.....\$279,900
 Awesome Paradise Lot: 1.0 acres.....\$249,000
 Development Potential: 70 acres.....\$205,000
 Sunday River Lot: 2 acres.....\$175,000
 Lot 2 Sunday River Road.....\$150,000
 Paradise Road Views: 2 acres.....\$142,900
 Webb River Waterfront Lot: 8.9 ACRES.....\$130,000
 Lot 1 Sunday River Road.....\$125,000
 Red House Farm Village.....\$109,000
 Potential Albany Views: 43 acres.....\$100,000
 Picnic Hill Rd Views: 40 acres.....\$95,000
 Exceptional South Pond Lot: 5.04 acres.....\$94,900
 Private lot with view: 27 acres.....\$93,000
 Premier Taylor Woods Riverfront Lot: 17 acres.....\$79,500
 Sunday River Lot: 46 acres.....\$69,900
 Beautiful Westerly Views: 2.84 acres.....\$68,900
 Bird Hill Lot: 12 acres.....\$65,000
 Milton Plantation Scenic Lot: 34 acres.....\$59,000
 Close Proximity to North Pond: 1 acre.....\$59,000
 Rumford Lot Elevated & Private: 8.0 acres.....\$48,000
 North Road Views: 1.1 acres.....\$42,000
 Albany Building Lot: 1.36 acres.....\$34,500

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9 LOTS AVAILABLE
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 \$175,000-\$285,000

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2 LOTS AVAILABLE
 1.09-1.35 ACRES
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 3.13-3.25 ACRES
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 \$58,000 EACH

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34 LOTS AVAILABLE
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Obituaries

LEATON E. SUMNER

Leaton E. Sumner died quietly Sept. 20, 2006 at home with his family around him.

He was born Sept. 29, 1913, in South Paris the son of Floyd and Minnie (Whitman) Sumner and was educated in West Paris schools and worked as a mill worker most of his life.

Leaton is survived by two sisters, Madeline Violette and Rita Whichelow; one brother, Richard Sumner; 11 children, Samuel Sumner, Elisabeth Cadrette, Floyd Sumner, Lois Abbott, Leaton "Skip" Sumner Jr., Linda Wade, Kathleen Polley, Mary Jean Connell, Alrick Sumner, Susan Kemp and

Viola Pierchorowicz; 31 grandchildren; and 46 great-grandchildren. He was predeceased by his wife of 53 years, Myrtle Allen Sumner; two daughters, Barbara and Bertha Sumner; and a brother, Richard.

Graveside funeral services were held at the North Paris Cemetery on Saturday Sept. 23, with The Rev. Linda Kimball officiating. Memorials in his memory are requested to either the American Cancer Society Maine Division, Inc. 52 Federal Street, Brunswick, ME 04011 or to the American Diabetes Association, N.E. Division, 163 Lancaster Street, Portland, ME 04101.

Births

Jack and Lisa Floster of West Paris are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby boy, George, born on Sept. 5, 2006 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 8 pounds.

Maternal grandparents is Linda Irish of St. Petersburg, Fla.

Paternal grandparents are Frank and Elizabeth Floster of Harrison.

George joins sisters Melissa, Megan, Michelle and Prentiss, age 8, and brother Ian, age 9.

Card of Thanks

Thank you to all of my community friends for their condolences and kind words about my pal, Nelson.

He loved every cookie and ear rub you gave him. He was a very special part of my life, and your kind words truly meant a lot. I really miss him.

Donna Mallahy

The Bethel Citizen
For complete
local news coverage

Engagements



Mason-Lauze

The happy engagement announcement of Jenn Mason and Dan Lauze is made. The bride-to-be is a 2000 graduate of Telstar Regional High School and the groom-to-be is a 1992 graduate of Edward Little High School in Auburn. An Oct. 14, 2006 wedding at 2 p.m. is planned.

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